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Highlights

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- The 100 largest public school districts, representing less than 1 percent (0.6) of all school districts in the nation, were responsible for the education of 22.9 percent of all public school students (table A).
- The 100 largest districts employed 20.6 percent of the nation's public school teachers, and accounted for 16.6 percent of all public schools and 18.9 percent of public high school graduates (table A).
- The 100 largest school districts had larger school sizes than the average school district (705 compared to 510). In addition to larger school sizes, the 100 largest school districts also had a higher mean pupil/teacher ratio, 18.3 to 1 compared to 16.5 to 1 for the average school district (table A).
- Three states, Florida, Texas, and California, accounted for about 40 percent of the 100 largest school districts (appendix D).
- The proportion of minority students in the 100 largest school districts was 66.9 percent compared to 38.8 percent in all school districts (table C).
- Among schools that reported free and reduced-price lunch eligibility, 52 percent of the students in the 100 largest school districts were eligible for free and reduced-price lunch compared to 38 percent of all students in reporting states (table C).
- In fiscal year 1997 (1996–1997 school year), current expenditures per pupil in the 100 largest school districts ranged from a low of $2,902 in the Puerto Rico Department of Education to a high of $11,578 in Newark School District, New Jersey (table 10).
- While the numbers of students, teachers and schools has increased between 1988–1989 and 1998–1999, the proportion of the national total that the 100 largest school districts comprised was essentially unchanged (table D).

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Discussion

Introduction

This publication provides basic descriptive information about the 100 largest school districts (ranked by student membership) in the United States, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Department of Defense (overseas) schools and outlying areas (American Samoa, Guam, Northern Marianas, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands). For the sake of simplicity, when discussing characteristics, the term "nation (or United States)" is used to refer to all 50 states, the District of Columbia, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Department of Defense (overseas) schools and outlying areas. This is different from most NCES reports, which only include the 50 states and the District of Columbia in the United States totals. Almost one in every four public school students in this nation is served by one of these 100 districts. They are distinguished from smaller districts by characteristics in addition to sheer size, such as average and median school size, pupil-teacher ratios, number of high school graduates, number of pupils receiving special education services, and minority enrollment as a proportion of total enrollment.

Information about the characteristics cited above is found in the fourteen basic tables. Four text tables provide national and 100 largest school district data and precede the basic tables for the purpose of establishing a meaningful context for the information on the 100 largest districts. Following the basic tables, appendix A lists the 500 largest school districts with some identifying information and basic statistical data. Appendix B is an alphabetical list of the 500 districts and their rank by size. Appendix C provides the same data as table 1 but for the 1988–1989 school year. Appendix D provides the number of the 100 largest districts by state. On all basic tables and appendices, with the exception of appendix B and D, districts are presented by decreasing order of size.

Overview of the 100 Largest Districts

In the 1998–1999 school year, there were 16,542 public school districts, over 92,000 schools and 47.4 million students in public education in the United States and its outlying areas. There were 2.9 million teachers in the 1998–1999 school year and 2.5 million high school graduates in the 1997–1998 school year. The 100 largest school districts made up less than 1 percent of all total public school districts but served 23 percent of the total public elementary and secondary school students (table A).

Table A. Selected statistics for the nation, the 100 largest, and the 500 largest school districts: School year 1998-1999

		100 largest districts*		500 largest districts*	
Data item	National total*	Total	Percentage of national total	Total	Percentage of national total
Districts	16,542	100	0.6	500	3.0
Schools	92,883	15,412	16.6	29,433	31.7
Students	47,354,912	10,857,943	22.9	20,200,284	42.7
Teachers	2,875,045	593,277	20.6	1,110,733	38.6
Graduates (1997-1998)	2,544,291	479,632	18.9	949,970	37.3
Pupil/teacher ratio	16.5	18.3	—	18.2	—
Average school size	509.8	704.5	—	686.3	—
Graduates as percentage of all students	5.4	4.4	—	4.7	—

— Not applicable

* Includes outlying areas, Bureau of Indian Affairs, and Department of Defense (overseas) schools. The 500 largest school districts include 25 school districts that are some other configuration besides PK or K-12, all of the 100 largest school districts are PK or K-12.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Common Core of Data, Local Education Agency Universe Survey, 1998-1999, and State Nonfiscal Survey, 1998-1999.

The 100 largest school districts represent 17 percent of schools and employ 21 percent of all teachers. The 500 largest districts make up 3 percent of all school districts and serve 20.2 million students, or 43 percent of the total public elementary and secondary school student population in the United States.

All of the 100 largest school districts have at least 45,000 students and 25 of these school districts have over 100,000 students. The largest school district in the country is the New York City Public Schools, with 1,072,628 students enrolled in 1,162 schools. (The New York City School District is so large it has more students than the sixth- through tenth-ranked school districts added together). The second largest school district is the Los Angeles Unified School District with 695,885 students in 650 schools (table 1). The New York City and Los Angeles Unified School Districts are larger in size than twenty-seven states, five outlying areas, and the Bureau of Indian Affairs and Department of Defense (overseas) schools[1].

Ninety-two of the 100 largest districts reported staff by type. In 88 of those districts, 45 percent or more of their staff were teachers, and in 4 of these districts over 60 percent were teachers. At the national level, 52 percent of staff were teachers[1]. Only 16 of the 92 districts that reported staff by type had over 1 percent of their staff assigned to district administration (table 11).

Where Are the 100 Largest School Districts?

The District of Columbia, Hawaii, and Puerto Rico each have only one school district for the entire jurisdiction, and each is represented among the 100 largest school districts (table 1). There are 34 states and jurisdictions that contain at least one of the 100 largest school districts. Two states,

Figure 1. The 100 largest school districts in the United States*: School year 1998–1999

* Includes outlying areas, Bureau of Indian Affairs, and Department of Defense (overseas) schools.
NOTE: The markings on the map denote the approximate location of the school district. The District of Columbia, Hawaii, and Puerto Rico are all one district jurisdictions.
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Common Core of Data, Local Education Agency Universe survey, 1998–1999.

[1] State enrollment and staff data can be found in *Public School Student, Staff, and Graduate Counts by State, School Year 1998-99*. The national staff ratio does not include Bureau of Indian Affairs schools.

Florida and Texas, each have 14 districts among the 100 largest, California has 11. Only a few other states have more than one district represented in the 100 largest: Georgia and Maryland each have 5, Louisiana, North Carolina, Tennessee, Utah, and Virginia each have 4, Ohio has 3, and Arizona, Colorado, Minnesota, Nevada, and New York have 2. The following states each have one school district among the 100 largest: Alabama, Alaska, Illinois, Kansas, Kentucky, Massachusetts, Michigan, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, Oregon, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, Washington, and Wisconsin (appendix D).

As expected, these 100 largest districts tend to be in cities and counties having large populations, with administrative offices typically located in large cities and their environs. Many of the districts are in states where the school districts have the same boundaries as counties. Over 70 percent of these districts are located in coastal and gulf coast states.

How Do These Districts Compare With the Average School District?

General Characteristics

By definition, the 100 largest school districts are large, and when compared to the membership distribution of all school districts, they are considerably larger than most. In the 1998–1999 school

Table B. Number and percentage of districts and students by district membership size for regular public elementary and secondary school districts in the nation[1]: School year 1998-1999

District membership size	Districts			Students			Cumulative totals	
	Number	Percentage	Cumulative percentage	Number	Percentage	Cumulative percentage	Districts	Students
Total[2]	**13,160**	**100.0**		**45,178,008**	**100.0**			
100,000 or more	25	0.2	0.2	6,179,114	13.7	13.7	25	6,179,114
25,000 to 99,999	213	1.6	1.8	9,147,028	20.2	33.9	238	15,326,142
10,000 to 24,999	568	4.3	6.1	8,485,090	18.8	52.7	806	23,811,232
7,500 to 9,999	317	2.4	8.5	2,727,565	6.0	58.7	1,123	26,538,797
5,000 to 7,499	689	5.2	13.8	4,200,787	9.3	68.0	1,812	30,739,584
2,500 to 4,999	1,971	15.0	28.8	6,944,360	15.4	83.4	3,783	37,683,944
2,000 to 2,499	769	5.8	34.6	1,725,225	3.8	87.2	4,552	39,409,169
1,500 to 1,999	955	7.3	41.9	1,660,874	3.7	90.9	5,507	41,070,043
1,000 to 1,499	1,335	10.1	52.0	1,655,502	3.7	94.6	6,842	42,725,545
800 to 999	715	5.4	57.4	643,207	1.4	96.0	7,557	43,368,752
600 to 799	863	6.6	64.0	600,519	1.3	97.3	8,420	43,969,271
450 to 599	828	6.3	70.3	432,636	1.0	98.3	9,248	44,401,907
300 to 449	1,038	7.9	78.2	386,241	0.9	99.1	10,286	44,788,148
150 to 299	1,318	10.0	88.2	291,153	0.6	99.8	11,604	45,079,301
1 to 149	1,275	9.7	97.9	98,707	0.2	100.0	12,879	45,178,008
Zero[3]	136	1.0	98.9	0	0.0	100.0	13,015	45,178,008
Not reported	145	1.1	100.0	—	—	100.0	13,160	45,178,008

— Not applicable

[1]Includes outlying areas, Bureau of Indian Affairs, and Department of Defense (overseas) schools.

[2]Not included in this table are local supervisory unions, regional education service agencies, and state and federally operated agencies.

[3]Membership may be 0 in two situations 1) where the school district does not operate schools but pays tuition for its students in a neighboring district, and 2) where the district provides services for students who are accounted for in some other district(s). Agencies that are not locally operated or do not serve students directly are not included in this table.

NOTE: Details may not add to cummulative totals due to rounding.
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Common Core of Data, Local Education Agency Universe Survey, 1998-1999.

year, 71 percent of all regular school districts[2] had memberships of fewer than 2,500 students while all of the 100 largest school districts had memberships of at least 45,000 students (table 1). Even though only 14 percent of regular school districts had 5,000 or more students, 68 percent (or 2 out of 3) of students were served by these districts (table B) (see the Methodology section for a definition of regular districts and schools).

The average school district in the United States has 5.6 schools compared to the 100 largest school districts, which average 154.1 schools per district (table A). Two of the largest school districts, New York City Public Schools and the Puerto Rico Department of Education, have over 1,000 schools (table 1). The 100 largest school districts, on average, serve considerably more students (108,579 compared to 2,863) and employ more teachers (5,933 compared to 174) per district than the average school district in the nation (table A).

School Characteristics

The 100 largest school districts have more students per school than the average school district, 704.5 compared to 509.8 (table A). In fact, 12 of the 100 largest school districts had an average regular school[3] size of over 1,000 students (table 4). In addition to larger school sizes, the 100 largest school districts also have a high mean pupil/teacher ratio, 18.3 to 1 compared to 16.5 to 1 for the average school district (table A). Among the 100 largest districts, half the schools in the Jefferson County School District, Kentucky were below the median[4] pupil/teacher ratio of 24.0 to 1 and half the schools in the St. Paul School District, Minnesota were above the median pupil/teacher ratio with 9.8 to 1 (table 7).

The number of high school graduates as a percentage of all students in the 100 largest school districts was lower than that of the average school district: 4 percent of students were graduates in the 100 largest school districts compared to 5 percent for the average school district (table A).

Seventy-four of the 100 largest school districts reported Title I eligible schools and programs. The percentage of Title I eligible schools in the 74 districts varied widely, from less than 1 to 95 percent. Furthermore, of the 74 districts reporting, a large number reported that these schools were also Title I school-wide eligible (table 12).

Student Body Composition

The 100 largest school districts are not homogeneous and certain student characteristics, such as race/ethnicity, poverty level, and disability status, vary across the districts.

The 100 largest districts, with 23 percent of the nation's public school students, served 40 percent of the 18.4 million minority public school students[5]. The proportion of minority students in the 100 largest school districts is almost double the proportion of minority students in all public schools. In the 1998–1999 school year, 67 percent of the students in the 100 largest school districts were minority students compared to 38 percent of students nationally (table C). In fact, 8 out of the 10 largest school districts had over 75 percent minority student membership (table 8).

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[2] An agency responsible for providing free public education for school-age children residing within their jurisdiction. This category excludes local supervisory unions that provide management services for a group of associated school districts; regional education service agencies that typically provide school districts with research, testing, and data processing services; state and federally operated school districts; and other agencies that do not fall into these groupings.

[3] A public elementary/secondary school that does not focus primarily on vocational, special, or alternative education.

[4] If all the pupil/teacher ratios were listed in order, the mid-point on the list would be the median.

[5] The numbers of student in different racial/ethnic categories are reported at the school level and are aggregated up to the school district level. The national figure was calculated by taking the percent of minority students among those districts that reported race/ethnicity (99.2 percent of districts) and applying this to the total number of public school students.

Even with the relatively high minority membership in the 100 largest school districts, 44 of the 100 largest school districts report 50 percent or more of their students as white, non-Hispanic (table 9). Of these 44 districts, 11 reported minority representation of less than 25 percent of their student body (table 8). In 18 of the 100 largest districts, half or more of the membership is black, non-Hispanic. Ten districts report the majority of students are Hispanic; 3 of these are among the largest 5 districts. In Hawaii, which is one district, the majority of the students are Asian/Pacific Islanders. It is also interesting to note that San Francisco Unified School District has 49.9 percent Asian/Pacific Islander students (table 9).

Table C. Percentage of students eligible for free and reduced-price lunch and percentage of minority enrollment in the 100 and 500 largest school districts: School year 1998-1999

	100 largest school districts	500 largest school districts	All reporting school districts
Percentage of schools reporting free and reduced-price lunch	87.9	88.2	84.1
Percentage of membership eligible for free and reduced-price lunch of those who reported free and reduced-price lunch	*52.3	*46.4	*38.0
Percentage of schools reporting minority membership	100.0	99.7	99.2
Percentage of minority enrollment	66.9	56.9	38.8
American Indian/Alaskan Native	0.5	0.7	1.2
Asian/Pacific Islander	6.6	6.0	4.1
Hispanic	29.2	24.7	16.3
Black/non-Hispanic	30.6	25.5	17.2
White/non-Hispanic	33.0	43.2	61.2

* These percentages should be interpreted with caution; six states (AZ, DC, IL, PA, TN, and WA) did not report free and reduced-price lunch eligibility and are not included in the national total. Also, states may not have reported students eligible for reduced-price meals and a number of states reported participation instead of eligibility data which may not be strictly comparable. See Methodology section for further description. Percentages are based on those schools that reported.

NOTE: Details may not add to totals due to rounding.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Common Core of Data, Public Elementary/Secondary School Universe Survey, 1998-1999, and Local Education Agency Universe Survey, 1998-1999.

The 100 largest school districts also have a disproportionate percentage of students eligible for the free lunch program relative to all public school districts. Among schools that reported free lunch eligibility, 52 percent of students in the 100 largest school districts were eligible compared to 38 percent of students in all districts (table C). Of the 90, 100-largest school districts that reported data on free lunch, 42 districts reported over 50 percent of their students eligible for the free lunch program (table 9).

Twelve percent of students in the 100 largest school districts had individualized education programs (IEPs) for students with disabilities. In the largest school district, New York City Public Schools, 14 percent, or 147,674 students, were reported to have IEPs (table 3). Only 3 percent of schools in the 100 largest school districts were special education schools (table 2).

Revenues and expenditures for fiscal year 1997[6]

In school year 1996–1997, $307 billion dollars were collected for public elementary and secondary education in the 50 states, the District of Columbia, and outlying areas: 22 percent ($69 billion) of this revenue went to the 100 largest school districts. Of the $69 billion revenue to the 100 largest school districts, a little less than one-third ($20 billion) was received by the 5 largest school

[6] National revenue and expenditure data were calculated from the state-level National Public Education Finance Survey (NPEFS) and can be found in *Revenues and Expenditures for Public Elementary and Secondary Education: School Year 1996-97*. The percentage distribution was based on school district level data found on the F-33 survey. Department of Defense and Bureau of Indian Affairs schools are not included in these national totals.

districts (New York City Public Schools, Los Angeles Unified, Puerto Rico Department of Education, City of Chicago School District, and Dade County School District). The dollars from the federal government received by 99 of the 100 largest school districts comprised from 2 to 16 percent of all revenues to the district, the exception was Puerto Rico (28 percent) (derived from table 10).

The 100 largest school districts spent $60 billion (22 percent) of the $273 billion in current expenditures spent on the 50 states, the District of Columbia, and outlying areas in 1996–1997. The two largest school districts, New York City Public Schools and Los Angeles Unified, spent one out of every five dollars expended by the 100 largest school districts. All of the 100 largest school districts devoted more than 50 percent of their current expenditures to instruction. Of the 100 largest school districts, New York City Public Schools spent the greatest proportion, 71 percent, on instruction.

The current expenditures per pupil were $5,923 for all districts in the 50 states and the District of Columbia, slightly higher than the $5,653 in the 100 largest school districts. Of the 100 largest school districts, 15 districts spent more than $7,000 per pupil (with Newark City School District, New Jersey, spending the most at $11,578 per pupil) and one school district, Puerto Rico Department of Education, spending less than $3,000 per pupil (table 10). (See the Methodology section for a further definition of specific revenues and expenditures).

Changes in the 100 largest school districts between 1988 and 1998

While there was a lot of movement within the 100 largest school districts over time, between the 1988–1989 and 1998–1999 school years, the 100 largest districts remained very similar. Only 10 of the 100 largest districts in the 1998–1999 school year were not in the 100 largest in the 1988–1989 school year. Clark County School District in Nevada was the only district to move into the largest 10 districts between these years (it moved from a rank of 19 in 1988–1989 to 9 in 1998–1999) (table 1 and appendix C). Clark County includes the Las Vegas metropolitan area, which was the fastest growing metropolitan area in the country in the early nineties[7].

The number of students in the 100 largest school districts increased by 16 percent between 1988–1989 and 1998–1999, the number of teachers increased by 34 percent, and the number of schools increased 9 percent. However, while the numbers of students, teachers and schools in the 100 largest school districts have increased between these two years, the proportion of the national total these numbers comprised was essentially unchanged. For example, the number of students in the 100 largest school districts went from 23.2 percent of all districts in 1988–1989 to 22.9 percent in 1998–1999 (table D).

Table D. Number of students, teachers, and schools in the 100 largest school districts in the United States in school years 1988-1989 and 1998-1999

	1988-1989			1998-1999		
	100 Largest Districts	All Districts*	Percentage of national total	100 Largest Districts	All Districts*	Percentage of national total
Students	9,389,053	40,427,258	23.2	10,857,943	47,354,912	22.9
Full-time equivalent (FTE) teachers	443,812	1,940,931	22.9	593,277	2,875,045	20.6
Schools	14,123	83,346	16.9	15,412	92,883	16.6

*For 1998-1999, includes the outlying areas. For 1998-1999 includes outlying areas, Bureau of Indian Affairs, and Department of Defense (overseas) schools. The addition of the Bureau of Indian Affairs and Department of Defense schools accounts for 0.3 percent more students, 0.2 percent more teachers, and 0.4 percent more schools.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Common Core of Data, Local Education Agency Universe Survey, 1988-1989 and 1998-1999, and State Nonfiscal Survey, 1988-1989 and 1998-1999.

[7] U.S. Department of Commerce, *Statistical Abstract of the United States, 1997* (117th edition) Washington, DC, 1997.

Basic Tables

Table 1 presents basic data: numbers of students receiving educational services; full-time equivalent (FTE) teachers; 1997–1998 graduates; and schools for each of the 100 largest districts. Also shown is information to fully identify each school district and its city, state, and county, since the name of the district is not always sufficient for this purpose. On this and all the other tables, the districts are shown in decreasing order of size (pupils in membership as of October 1998). Since the districts are arrayed by number of pupils, it is easy to note the differences in the numbers of teachers, graduates, and schools as they relate to districts of similar size. For example, Prince George's County Public Schools, Maryland, though smaller in size than San Diego City Unified, California, has more graduates and teachers.

For all school districts other than the Massachusetts and Tennessee school districts, the teacher count was derived from the school universe survey. (For a more detailed description of the surveys see the methodology section).

Table 2 presents the number of schools in the 100 largest districts, by type of school. All but one of the districts have specialized schools devoted to special, vocational, or alternative education. It can be seen from this table that districts vary widely in their use of specialized versus general schools in educating students with special needs. This table also includes schools that do not have students.

Table 3 presents the numbers of students assigned to these schools. It should be noted that students attending a specialized school are often counted at their nonspecialized (regular) home school rather than at the specialized school they attend. The number of students having Individualized Education Programs (IEPs) in accordance with the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act-Part B, is shown in the last column of table 3.

NOTE: In tables 4 through 9, only schools with student membership (or regular schools with student membership, as specified in table 4) are used in the data sets from which these tables are derived. In tables 5 through 9, this restriction to schools with membership was required to determine pupil membership by grade in order to determine school categories.

Table 4 provides information on school characteristics in the 100 largest school districts by displaying an array of school size (pupils in membership) at different percentile levels, as well as mean school size for each district (computed using regular schools having membership). For example, in New York City Public Schools the table shows that the smallest 25 percent of the schools have a pupil membership of 558 or fewer, while the largest 25 percent have a membership of 1,166 or more. Dividing all the students in regular schools by the number of such schools yields a mean, or average, size of 961.9 students. If all the regular schools in New York City were listed by size, the school at the mid-point on the list (the median) would have 817 pupils in membership.

The average school size ranges from a low of 410.3 pupils (Puerto Rico Department of Education) to a high of 1,263.3 (Gwinnett County School District, Georgia) for these districts. The largest school in these districts, and also the largest school in the United States, is the 5,296–student Roosevelt Senior High in the Los Angeles Unified District, California.

In **table 5**, data are given on the number of students assigned to graded (three categories) and ungraded levels. In accounting for their students, 54 of the 100 largest districts assign all of their students to numbered grades and 46 use the "ungraded" status for some students in some settings,

such as special education, vocational education, and other specialized and alternative programs. In this table, students assigned to all types of schools are counted in the grade for which they are reported.

Table 6 answers the question of how many "elementary" and "high" schools there are in the 100 largest school districts. Since nearly every conceivable grade span is found among the 15,000 schools in the 100 largest districts, the following four categories are used: *primary* (low grade of prekindergarten to 3; high grade up to 8), *middle* (low grade 4 to 7; high grade 4 to 9), *high* (low grade 7 to 12; high grade 12), and *other* (all other configurations, including PK, K, or 1 to 12). Although 95 of these school districts have some schools in the "other" category, only in the Puerto Rico school system is the number very high (226, or 15 percent). However, there are several districts in Florida in which the proportion of schools that are other than primary, middle or high exceeds that in Puerto Rico, although their absolute numbers do not. These are: Volusia and Polk Counties (21 percent); Pinellas County (20 percent) and Palm Beach County School District (19 percent).

Table 7 presents median pupil/teacher ratios for the schools found in the categories established in table 6. Since teacher counts by school were not available for Massachusetts and Tennessee, no pupil-teacher ratio could be calculated for the districts in these states. Among the 100 largest districts, the median pupil/teacher ratio for all schools in a district varied from 9.8:1 in St. Paul School District, Minnesota to 24.0:1 in Jefferson County School District, Kentucky.

Table 8 gives the number of schools in each district in five ranges of percent minority student membership, as well as the overall minority student percentage for each district. In this report, minority is defined as all race/ethnicities other than white, non-Hispanic. Eight out of the 10 largest school districts have more than 75 percent minority student membership.

Whereas table 8 deals with the number of schools in each district having a strong minority presence of any kind, **table 9** presents the percentage of students in the district by specific racial/ethnic category. This table illustrates that some school districts are made up of many minority groups while others have high concentrations of one minority group. For example, the New York City Public Schools have 38 percent Hispanic students and 36 percent black students while the Philadelphia City School District has a much higher percentage of black students (65 percent) than any other minority group.

Also shown in table 9 is the number of students eligible for free and reduced-price lunch. Responses in this data category were available for 90 districts out of the 100 largest. Among these districts, the percentages of students eligible for free and reduced-price lunch under the National School Lunch Program vary greatly. Of the 90 districts that did report free and reduced-price lunch, 42 districts reported that over 50 percent of their students were eligible for free and reduced-price lunch.

Table 10 deals with the school district revenues and expenditures and is based on fiscal year 1997 (which is school year 1996-1997) local government financial data collected by the Governments Division of the U.S. Census Bureau. It presents the amount of revenue received by source (local, state, and federal); current expenditures and those current expenditures for instruction; and, current expenditures per pupil in membership for fiscal year 1997. Data for Puerto Rico were obtained from the National Public Education Financial Survey. Among the 100 largest school districts, Newark City School District, New Jersey, had the highest expenditure per pupil ($11,578), and Puerto Rico Department of Education, the lowest ($2,902). Overall, there were 15 school districts with per pupil expenditures greater than $7,000 and 4 school districts with per pupil expenditures less than $4,000.

Table 11 presents the different types of staff in each district. Teachers represented the largest proportion of staff, followed by other staff (instructional support, guidance counselors, library media staff, LEA administrators, School Administrators, and other staff). Of the 92 districts reporting staff by type, 88 districts reported that 45 percent or more of their staff were teachers, 4 districts had over 60 percent teachers. For those districts that did not report one of the staff categories the percentage distribution across all types of staff could not be calculated.

Table 12 reports the number and percentage of students in Title I eligible schools and school-wide programs. The 1998–1999 school year was the first year the CCD collected this information. Not all states were able to report this information. The percentage of Title I eligible schools in districts that provided the information varied widely, from less than 1 to 95 percent. Of 70 districts that reported at least one Title I school, 26 reported that 100 percent of Title I schools were also Title I school-wide eligible.

Table 13 also reports new data items for the 1998–1999 school year, magnet and charter schools. Only 50 of the 100 largest districts reported magnet schools, while 80 districts reported they had charter schools. Most districts reported no magnet or charter schools.

A few of the new items for 1998–1999 asked for the numbers of students receiving services for limited English Proficient (LEP) and migrant students. **Table 14** reports these totals for those districts that provided this new information. Fifty-two of the 100 largest districts reported the number of students receiving migrant services in the previous school year. Fresno Unified School District, California, reported the most migrant students served at 8,983 students. Fresno also reported the most migrant students served in migrant summer services, 5,155. Seventy-two of the 100 largest districts reported students served in limited English Proficient (LEP) programs. Santa Ana Unified School District, California, reported the highest percent LEP students, 67.9 percent.

Table 1. Selected statistics for the 100 largest school districts in the United States[1]: School year 1998–1999

Name of reporting district	City	State	County	Number of students[2]	Number of full-time equivalent (FTE) teachers	Number of 1997–1998 graduates	Number of schools
Total				**10,857,943**	**593,277**	**479,632**	**15,412**
New York City Public Schools	New York	NY	Kings	1,072,628	62,930	37,851	1,162
Los Angeles Unified	Los Angeles	CA	Los Angeles	695,885	33,022	25,843	650
Puerto Rico Dept of Education	Hato Rey	PR	San Juan	601,902	39,849	29,891	1,538
City of Chicago School District 29	Chicago	IL	Cook	430,914	23,540	16,567	592
Dade County School District	Miami	FL	Dade	352,536	17,616	14,401	329
Broward County School District	Fort Lauderdale	FL	Broward	231,187	11,145	9,637	229
Houston Independent School District	Houston	TX	Harris	210,179	11,682	7,421	296
Philadelphia City School District	Philadelphia	PA	Philadelphia	207,465	10,695	8,991	259
Clark County School District	Las Vegas	NV	Clark	203,777	10,068	8,165	229
Hawaii Department of Education	Honolulu	HI	Honolulu	188,069	10,639	10,369	254
Detroit City School District	Detroit	MI	Wayne	173,557	8,705	6,573	269
Dallas Independent School District	Dallas	TX	Dallas	159,908	8,807	5,659	223
Hillsborough County School District	Tampa	FL	Hillsborough	156,452	9,373	6,393	200
Fairfax County Public Schools	Fairfax	VA	Fairfax	149,029	—	9,087	206
Palm Beach County School District	West Palm Beach	FL	Palm Beach	146,568	7,872	6,112	164
Orange County School District	Orlando	FL	Orange	138,866	8,019	5,840	175
San Diego City Unified	San Diego	CA	San Diego	138,433	6,945	5,928	174
Prince Georges County Public Schools	Upper Marlboro	MD	Prince George's	130,259	7,621	7,287	187
Montgomery County Public Schools	Rockville	MD	Montgomery	127,933	7,771	7,413	188
Duval County School District	Jacksonville	FL	Duval	127,411	6,609	4,703	174
Memphis City School District	Memphis	TN	Shelby	111,682	6,875	5,736	161
Pinellas County School District	Largo	FL	Pinellas	110,582	6,153	4,744	159
Baltimore City Public School System	Baltimore	MD	Baltimore	106,540	6,005	4,103	182
Baltimore County Public Schools	Towson	MD	Baltimore	105,914	6,532	5,984	168
Jefferson (KY) County	Louisville	KY	Jefferson	101,438	5,268	5,080	173
Milwaukee School District	Milwaukee	WI	Milwaukee	99,814	5,853	3,247	204
Gwinnett County School District	Lawrenceville	GA	Gwinnett	98,784	5,990	4,775	80
Charlotte—Mecklenburg Schools	Charlotte	NC	Mecklenburg	98,758	6,369	4,298	134
De Kalb County School District	Decatur	GA	De Kalb	93,171	5,779	4,374	114
Wake County Schools	Raleigh	NC	Wake	92,256	5,686	4,388	106
Cobb County School District	Marietta	GA	Cobb	91,208	5,597	4,796	93
Long Beach Unified	Long Beach	CA	Los Angeles	89,214	3,745	3,916	86
Jefferson (CO) County R—1	Golden	CO	Jefferson	88,654	4,283	4,879	157
Albuquerque Public Schools	Albuquerque	NM	Bernalillo	85,847	5,271	4,771	125
Orleans Parish School Board	New Orleans	LA	Orleans	82,176	4,472	3,676	123
Austin Independent School District	Austin	TX	Travis	79,496	4,851	3,042	102
Fresno Unified	Fresno	CA	Fresno	78,942	3,789	3,180	91
Fort Worth Independent School District	Fort Worth	TX	Tarrant	77,956	4,416	2,834	136
Virginia Beach City Public Schools	Virginia Beach	VA	Virginia Beach City	77,442	—	4,151	83
Polk County School District	Bartow	FL	Polk	77,300	4,410	3,430	132
Cleveland City School District	Cleveland	OH	Cuyahoga	76,500	4,621	1,581	124
Anne Arundel County Public Schools	Annapolis	MD	Anne Arundel	74,079	4,141	3,943	118
Granite School District	Salt Lake City	UT	Salt Lake	73,474	3,270	4,801	97
Jordan School District	Sandy	UT	Salt Lake	73,286	3,088	4,742	77
District of Columbia Public Schools	Washington	DC	District of Columbia	71,889	5,187	2,905	164
Mesa Unified School District	Mesa	AZ	Maricopa	71,284	3,428	3,592	80
Denver County	Denver	CO	Denver	68,790	3,388	2,627	122
Brevard County School District	Melbourne	FL	Brevard	68,681	3,754	3,259	99
Nashville—Davidson County SD	Nashville	TN	Davidson	67,016	4,819	4,004	125
Fulton County School District	Atlanta	GA	Fulton	65,642	4,236	2,844	65
Mobile County School District	Mobile	AL	Mobile	65,324	3,997	3,451	105
Columbus City School District	Columbus	OH	Franklin	64,873	3,732	2,207	145
Boston School District	Boston	MA	Suffolk	63,043	4,183	3,246	130
El Paso Independent School District	El Paso	TX	El Paso	62,945	3,985	3,387	83
Tucson Unified District	Tucson	AZ	Pima	62,670	3,447	2,843	120

Table 1. Selected statistics for the 100 largest school districts in the United States[1]: School year 1998–1999 (Continued)

Name of reporting district	City	State	County	Number of students[2]	Number of full-time equivalent (FTE) teachers	Number of 1997–1998 graduates	Number of schools
Northside Independent School District	San Antonio	TX	Bexar	61,308	3,984	3,549	83
Guilford County Schools	Greensboro	NC	Guilford	61,154	3,785	2,934	95
San Francisco Unified	San Francisco	CA	San Francisco	61,042	3,122	3,708	116
Atlanta City School District	Atlanta	GA	Fulton	60,541	3,904	2,087	98
Volusia County School District	Deland	FL	Volusia	59,851	3,568	2,769	88
Davis School District	Farmington	UT	Davis	59,285	2,535	4,177	79
San Antonio Independent School District	San Antonio	TX	Bexar	59,080	3,739	2,528	108
Seminole County School District	Sanford	FL	Seminole	58,156	3,047	2,950	63
Cypress—Fairbanks ISD	Houston	TX	Harris	58,044	3,619	2,883	52
Greenville County School District	Greenville	SC	Greenville	57,884	3,696	3,110	92
East Baton Rouge Parish School Board	Baton Rouge	LA	East Baton Rouge	56,527	3,617	2,858	104
Santa Ana Unified	Santa Ana	CA	Orange	56,071	2,440	1,891	50
Arlington Independent School District	Arlington	TX	Tarrant	55,709	3,406	2,607	68
Lee County School District	Fort Myers	FL	Lee	54,779	3,061	2,671	75
Portland School District 1J	Portland	OR	Multnomah	54,548	2,874	2,427	111
Oakland Unified	Oakland	CA	Alameda	54,256	2,723	1,833	89
Jefferson Parish School Board	Harvey	LA	Jefferson	53,615	3,431	2,482	84
Washoe County School District	Reno	NV	Washoe	52,813	2,967	2,391	87
Knox County School District	Knoxville	TN	Knox	51,667	3,642	2,781	85
Sacramento City Unified	Sacramento	CA	Sacramento	51,378	2,295	2,162	76
Cumberland County Schools	Fayetteville	NC	Cumberland	51,297	3,070	2,367	76
Prince William County Public School	Manassas	VA	Prince William	51,111	—	2,822	68
Fort Bend Independent School District	Sugar Land	TX	Fort Bend	50,890	3,053	2,722	50
Chesterfield County Public Schools	Chesterfield	VA	Chesterfield	50,621	—	3,110	58
Cincinnati City School District	Cincinnati	OH	Hamilton	50,332	3,181	1,096	80
Anchorage School District	Anchorage	AK	Anchorage	49,587	2,824	2,296	92
Aldine Independent School District	Houston	TX	Harris	49,453	3,324	1,986	56
Minneapolis	Minneapolis	MN	Hennepin	49,242	3,395	1,810	148
San Bernardino City Unified	San Bernardino	CA	San Bernardino	48,907	2,239	1,778	61
Seattle	Seattle	WA	King	48,260	2,439	2,445	118
Shelby County School District	Memphis	TN	Shelby	48,185	2,682	2,385	47
Garland Independent School District	Garland	TX	Dallas	47,967	2,833	1,973	64
San Juan Unified	Carmichael	CA	Sacramento	47,799	2,247	2,875	82
North East Independent School District	San Antonio	TX	Bexar	47,732	3,116	2,631	63
Wichita	Wichita	KS	Sedgwich	47,479	2,848	2,137	93
Ysleta Independent School District	El Paso	TX	El Paso	47,238	3,051	2,860	60
Buffalo City School District	Buffalo	NY	Erie	47,096	3,274	1,797	74
Caddo Parish School Board	Shreveport	LA	Caddo	47,089	2,961	2,417	73
Garden Grove Unified	Garden Grove	CA	Orange	46,916	2,075	2,373	65
Pasco County School District	Land O Lakes	FL	Pasco	46,065	2,623	1,815	50
St. Louis City	St. Louis	MO	St. Louis City	45,981	3,426	1,171	113
Escambia County School District	Pensacola	FL	Escambia	45,667	2,578	2,229	83
St. Paul	St. Paul	MN	Ramsey	45,349	2,244	1,870	139
Alpine School District	American Fork	UT	Utah	45,208	1,912	2,863	54
Omaha Public Schools	Omaha	NE	Douglas	45,118	2,884	2,239	81

— Not available

[1]Includes outlying areas, Bureau of Indian Affairs, and Department of Defense (overseas) schools.

[2] Count of students receiving educational services from school district may differ somewhat from the counts in tables 3 and 5, which reflect the count of students from the schools aggregated up to the school district.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Common Core of Data, Public Elementary/Secondary School Universe Survey, 1998–1999, and Local Education Agency Universe Survey, 1998–1999.

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Table 2. Number of public elementary and secondary schools in the 100 largest school districts in the United States[1], by type of school: School year 1998-1999

Name of reporting district	State	Total number of schools	Type of school[2]			
			Regular	Special education	Vocational education	Other and alternative
Total		**15,412**	**14,096**	**395**	**126**	**796**
New York City Public Schools	NY	1,162	1,058	8	18	78
Los Angeles Unified	CA	650	569	18	0	63
Puerto Rico Dept of Education	PR	1,538	1,481	28	12	17
City of Chicago School District 29	IL	592	569	23	0	0
Dade County School District	FL	329	324	1	2	2
Broward County School District	FL	229	215	7	3	4
Houston Independent School District	TX	296	264	3	4	25
Philadelphia City School District	PA	259	250	5	4	0
Clark County School District	NV	229	209	6	2	12
Hawaii Department of Education	HI	254	249	4	0	1
Detroit City School District	MI	269	244	13	6	6
Dallas Independent School District	TX	223	208	4	1	10
Hillsborough County School District	FL	200	188	9	1	2
Fairfax County Public Schools	VA	206	176	20	1	9
Palm Beach County School District	FL	164	158	1	0	5
Orange County School District	FL	175	157	5	4	9
San Diego City Unified	CA	174	164	2	0	8
Prince Georges County Public Schools	MD	187	170	9	2	6
Montgomery County Public Schools	MD	188	178	7	1	2
Duval County School District	FL	174	167	4	0	3
Memphis City School District	TN	161	154	2	5	0
Pinellas County School District	FL	159	149	3	2	5
Baltimore City Public School System	MD	182	160	11	3	8
Baltimore County Public Schools	MD	168	143	9	4	12
Jefferson (KY) County	KY	173	149	5	2	17
Milwaukee School District	WI	204	195	1	0	8
Gwinnett County School District	GA	80	78	2	0	0
Charlotte—Mecklenburg Schools	NC	134	127	2	0	5
De Kalb County School District	GA	114	110	3	0	1
Wake County Schools	NC	106	103	0	0	3
Cobb County School District	GA	93	92	0	0	1
Long Beach Unified	CA	86	82	0	0	4
Jefferson (CO) County R—1	CO	157	147	4	1	5
Albuquerque Public Schools	NM	125	115	1	0	9
Orleans Parish School Board	LA	123	112	2	4	5
Austin Independent School District	TX	102	95	5	0	2
Fresno Unified	CA	91	83	2	0	6
Fort Worth Independent School District	TX	136	102	7	1	26
Virginia Beach City Public Schools	VA	83	78	1	1	3
Polk County School District	FL	132	107	3	2	20
Cleveland City School District	OH	124	118	1	3	2
Anne Arundel County Public Schools	MD	118	107	4	2	5
Granite School District	UT	97	86	2	0	9
Jordan School District	UT	77	73	3	0	1
District of Columbia Public Schools	DC	164	148	10	0	6
Mesa Unified School District	AZ	80	73	2	0	5
Denver County	CO	122	115	0	1	6
Brevard County School District	FL	99	89	8	0	2
Nashville—Davidson County SD	TN	125	118	4	0	3
Fulton County School District	GA	65	63	0	0	2
Mobile County School District	AL	105	93	1	2	9
Columbus City School District	OH	145	134	6	4	1
Boston School District	MA	130	122	1	1	6
El Paso Independent School District	TX	83	77	1	2	3
Tucson Unified District	AZ	120	111	1	0	8

Table 2. Number of public elementary and secondary schools in the 100 largest school districts in the United States[1], by type of school: School year 1998-1999 (Continued)

Name of reporting district	State	Total number of schools	Type of school[2]			
			Regular	Special education	Vocational education	Other and alternative
Northside Independent School District	TX	83	66	14	0	3
Guilford County Schools	NC	95	90	2	1	2
San Francisco Unified	CA	116	112	0	0	4
Atlanta City School District	GA	98	96	0	0	2
Volusia County School District	FL	88	80	2	0	6
Davis School District	UT	79	68	2	0	9
San Antonio Independent School District	TX	108	93	8	0	7
Seminole County School District	FL	63	57	3	0	3
Cypress—Fairbanks ISD	TX	52	47	2	0	3
Greenville County School District	SC	92	86	2	4	0
East Baton Rouge Parish School Board	LA	104	90	3	2	9
Santa Ana Unified	CA	50	45	1	0	4
Arlington Independent School District	TX	68	61	3	0	4
Lee County School District	FL	75	65	4	3	3
Portland School District 1J	OR	111	90	5	0	16
Oakland Unified	CA	89	81	1	0	7
Jefferson Parish School Board	LA	84	79	4	0	1
Washoe County School District	NV	87	80	1	1	5
Knox County School District	TN	85	78	4	2	1
Sacramento City Unified	CA	76	73	0	0	3
Cumberland County Schools	NC	76	73	1	0	2
Prince William County Public School	VA	68	61	3	0	4
Fort Bend Independent School District	TX	50	49	0	0	1
Chesterfield County Public Schools	VA	58	55	0	1	2
Cincinnati City School District	OH	80	78	1	0	1
Anchorage School District	AK	92	75	2	3	12
Aldine Independent School District	TX	56	53	1	0	2
Minneapolis	MN	148	74	4	0	70
San Bernardino City Unified	CA	61	53	3	0	5
Seattle	WA	118	85	7	0	26
Shelby County School District	TN	47	47	0	0	0
Garland Independent School District	TX	64	60	1	0	3
San Juan Unified	CA	82	73	4	0	5
North East Independent School District	TX	63	55	5	0	3
Wichita	KS	93	93	0	0	0
Ysleta Independent School District	TX	60	55	1	0	4
Buffalo City School District	NY	74	67	1	5	1
Caddo Parish School Board	LA	73	70	1	0	2
Garden Grove Unified	CA	65	61	2	0	2
Pasco County School District	FL	50	46	1	2	1
St. Louis City	MO	113	109	0	0	4
Escambia County School District	FL	83	72	5	1	5
St. Paul	MN	139	60	2	0	77
Alpine School District	UT	54	49	3	0	2
Omaha Public Schools	NE	81	79	2	0	0

[1]Includes outlying areas, Bureau of Indian Affairs, and Department of Defense (overseas) schools.

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Vocational Education School—A public elementary/secondary school that focuses primarily on vocational education, and provides education and training in one or more semi-skilled or technical operations.
Alternative Education School—A public elementary/secondary school that: 1) addresses needs of students that typically cannot be met in a regular school, 2) provides nontraditional education, 3) serves as an adjunct to a regular school, or 4) falls outside of the categories of regular, special education, or vocational education.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Common Core of Data, Public Elementary/Secondary School Universe Survey, 1998-1999, and Local Education Agency Universe Survey, 1998-1999.

Table 3. Number of students in public elementary and secondary schools in the 100 largest school districts in the United States[1], by type of school, and number of students with Individualized Education Programs (IEPs): School year 1998–1999

Name of reporting district	State	Total number of students[2]	Type of school[3]				Students with IEPs	Percentage of students with IEPs
			Regular	Special education	Vocational education	Other and alternative[4]		
Total		**10,868,397**	**10,608,499**	**49,838**	**61,421**	**148,639**	**1,278,423**	**11.8**
New York City Public Schools	NY	1,071,073	1,013,809	1,682	26,426	29,156	147,674	13.8
Los Angeles Unified	CA	695,885	673,190	4,258	—	18,437	81,171	11.7
Puerto Rico Dept of Education	PR	613,862	604,410	2,419	4,463	2,570	54,234	8.8
City of Chicago School District 29	IL	430,914	425,154	5,760	—	—	50,814	11.8
Dade County School District	FL	352,317	349,361	92	15	2,849	37,992	10.8
Broward County School District	FL	231,187	228,122	1,860	198	1,007	26,024	11.3
Houston Independent School District	TX	210,178	202,559	631	2,402	4,587	22,321	10.6
Philadelphia City School District	PA	207,465	201,674	1,148	4,643	—	21,545	10.4
Clark County School District	NV	203,777	199,277	907	1,721	1,872	20,569	10.1
Hawaii Department of Education	HI	188,069	187,828	92	—	149	19,462	10.3
Detroit City School District	MI	179,102	172,623	3,006	1,670	1,803	11,598	6.5
Dallas Independent School District	TX	159,908	156,953	486	336	2,133	14,237	8.9
Hillsborough County School District	FL	156,452	152,937	1,008	1,738	769	21,198	13.5
Fairfax County Public Schools	VA	149,029	145,826	1,150	—	2,053	20,235	13.6
Palm Beach County School District	FL	146,568	145,272	162	—	1,134	20,495	14.0
Orange County School District	FL	138,860	137,020	607	238	995	21,671	15.6
San Diego City Unified	CA	138,433	133,208	355	—	4,870	14,596	10.5
Prince Georges County Public Schools	MD	130,259	126,892	2,038	231	1,098	13,189	10.1
Montgomery County Public Schools	MD	127,933	126,750	914	—	269	15,891	12.4
Duval County School District	FL	127,411	126,264	682	—	465	20,548	16.1
Memphis City School District	TN	111,691	111,374	317	—	—	12,938	11.6
Pinellas County School District	FL	110,582	108,852	781	82	867	20,509	18.5
Baltimore City Public School System	MD	106,540	98,912	1,427	4,112	2,089	18,686	17.5
Baltimore County Public Schools	MD	105,914	99,214	1,524	3,140	2,036	13,023	12.3
Jefferson (KY) County	KY	99,037	97,745	254	37	1,001	12,799	12.9
Milwaukee School District	WI	99,814	99,118	21	—	675	13,875	13.9
Gwinnett County School District	GA	96,784	96,538	246	—	—	9,775	9.9
Charlotte—Mecklenburg Schools	NC	98,758	97,894	283	—	581	10,720	10.9
De Kalb County School District	GA	93,171	91,632	584	—	955	13,347	14.3
Wake County Schools	NC	92,256	91,945	—	—	311	11,325	12.3
Cobb County School District	GA	91,206	90,914	—	—	294	10,502	11.5
Long Beach Unified	CA	89,214	86,712	—	—	2,502	7,284	8.2
Jefferson (CO) County R—1	CO	88,654	87,393	254	278	729	7,647	8.6
Albuquerque Public Schools	NM	85,847	84,124	336	—	1,387	17,177	20.0
Orleans Parish School Board	LA	82,176	80,746	60	834	536	7,094	8.6
Austin Independent School District	TX	79,496	78,923	217	—	356	9,177	11.5
Fresno Unified	CA	78,942	76,251	88	—	2,603	9,412	11.9
Fort Worth Independent School District	TX	77,956	73,362	695	9	3,890	8,728	11.2
Virginia Beach City Public Schools	VA	77,442	76,523	133	—	786	9,867	12.7
Polk County School District	FL	77,300	74,849	332	324	1,795	10,991	14.2
Cleveland City School District	OH	75,386	73,369	—	1,686	331	12,950	17.2
Anne Arundel County Public Schools	MD	74,079	73,265	483	—	331	10,455	14.1
Granite School District	UT	73,474	72,026	247	—	1,201	8,436	11.5
Jordan School District	UT	73,286	72,347	325	—	614	7,204	9.8
District of Columbia Public Schools	DC	71,889	68,815	2,233	—	841	8,178	11.4
Mesa Unified School District	AZ	71,284	70,594	29	—	661	5,673	8.0
Denver County	CO	68,790	67,287	—	195	1,308	7,496	10.9
Brevard County School District	FL	68,681	68,335	254	—	92	10,733	15.6
Nashville—Davidson County SD	TN	67,016	66,611	348	—	57	9,664	14.4
Fulton County School District	GA	65,642	64,726	—	—	916	6,588	10.0
Mobile County School District	AL	65,209	65,052	50	—	107	9,228	14.2
Columbus City School District	OH	64,612	64,087	—	329	196	8,287	12.8
Boston School District	MA	61,291	60,242	114	—	935	13,713	22.4
El Paso Independent School District	TX	62,945	61,478	58	834	575	5,857	9.3
Tucson Unified District	AZ	62,670	61,947	20	—	703	6,779	10.8

Table 3. Number of students in public elementary and secondary schools in the 100 largest school districts in the United States[1], by type of school, and number of students with Individualized Education Programs (IEPs): School year 1998–1999 (Continued)

Name of reporting district	State	Total number of students[2]	Type of school[3]				Students with IEPs	Percentage of students with IEPs
			Regular	Special education	Vocational education	Other and alternative[4]		
Northside Independent School District	TX	61,308	60,565	510	—	233	9,372	15.3
Guilford County Schools	NC	61,154	60,507	208	—	439	8,485	13.9
San Francisco Unified	CA	61,042	59,972	—	—	1,070	6,818	11.2
Atlanta City School District	GA	60,541	59,986	—	—	555	3,872	6.4
Volusia County School District	FL	59,851	59,477	88	—	286	9,364	15.6
Davis School District	UT	59,285	57,998	89	—	1,198	5,773	9.7
San Antonio Independent School District	TX	59,080	57,829	972	—	279	7,504	12.7
Seminole County School District	FL	58,156	57,345	181	—	630	7,422	12.8
Cypress—Fairbanks ISD	TX	58,044	57,584	52	—	408	6,464	11.1
Greenville County School District	SC	57,884	57,755	129	—	—	8,310	14.4
East Baton Rouge Parish School Board	LA	56,527	53,260	225	173	2,869	6,418	11.4
Santa Ana Unified	CA	56,071	55,311	—	—	760	5,395	9.6
Arlington Independent School District	TX	55,709	53,876	1,176	—	657	5,587	10.0
Lee County School District	FL	54,779	53,732	461	168	418	8,758	16.0
Portland School District 1J	OR	54,546	49,849	1,274	—	3,423	5,341	9.8
Oakland Unified	CA	54,256	53,303	157	—	796	5,557	10.2
Jefferson Parish School Board	LA	53,615	53,325	242	—	48	7,811	14.6
Washoe County School District	NV	54,654	54,203	135	—	316	5,713	10.5
Knox County School District	TN	51,666	51,395	97	55	119	7,532	14.6
Sacramento City Unified	CA	51,378	50,079	—	—	1,299	6,070	11.8
Cumberland County Schools	NC	51,297	50,803	176	—	318	5,461	10.6
Prince William County Public School	VA	51,111	50,975	136	—	—	6,486	12.7
Fort Bend Independent School District	TX	50,890	50,777	—	—	113	5,359	10.5
Chesterfield County Public Schools	VA	50,621	50,306	—	—	315	7,536	14.9
Cincinnati City School District	OH	49,215	49,215	—	—	—	7,134	14.5
Anchorage School District	AK	49,587	47,016	393	483	1,695	7,323	14.8
Aldine Independent School District	TX	49,453	49,023	85	—	345	5,829	11.8
Minneapolis	MN	49,229	44,681	62	—	4,486	6,925	14.1
San Bernardino City Unified	CA	48,907	47,562	218	—	1,127	5,675	11.6
Seattle	WA	48,280	44,006	244	—	4,030	4,793	9.9
Shelby County School District	TN	48,194	48,194	—	—	—	6,361	13.2
Garland Independent School District	TX	47,967	47,537	25	—	405	6,291	13.1
San Juan Unified	CA	47,799	46,780	225	—	794	5,510	11.5
North East Independent School District	TX	47,732	47,397	198	—	137	8,195	17.2
Wichita	KS	47,157	47,157	—	—	—	6,017	12.8
Ysleta Independent School District	TX	47,238	46,253	37	—	948	4,945	10.5
Buffalo City School District	NY	47,096	42,598	45	4,265	188	9,059	19.2
Caddo Parish School Board	LA	47,089	46,382	42	—	665	6,075	12.9
Garden Grove Unified	CA	46,916	46,359	178	—	379	4,901	10.4
Pasco County School District	FL	46,085	45,649	3	329	84	8,879	19.3
St. Louis City	MO	45,947	45,704	—	—	243	6,990	15.2
Escambia County School District	FL	45,867	45,053	343	7	264	7,032	15.4
St. Paul	MN	45,349	37,997	115	—	7,237	6,238	13.8
Alpine School District	UT	45,208	44,435	187	—	586	4,590	10.2
Omaha Public Schools	NE	45,118	44,958	160	—	—	7,946	17.6

— Data not available or not applicable.

[1]Includes outlying areas, Bureau of Indian Affairs, and Department of Defense (overseas) schools.

[2]Students distribution by type of school is based on membership in the schools of the school district. This count may differ somewhat from the count of students receiving educational services from the school district reported in table 1.

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Table 4. Distribution of regular public elementary and secondary schools with assigned membership in the 100 largest school districts in the United States*, by membership size: School year 1998-1999

Name of reporting district	State	Regular schools having membership	Mean membership	Standard deviation	Distribution of schools, by membership size: Minimum	10th percentile	25th percentile	Median	75th percentile	90th percentile	Maximum
Total		**14,631**	**756.1**	—	**1**	**228**	**427**	**633**	**915**	**1,369**	**5,296**
New York City Public Schools	NY	1,054	961.9	686.1	15	324	558	817	1,166	1,591	4,725
Los Angeles Unified	CA	569	1,183.1	873.0	120	418	570	904	1,466	2,268	5,296
Puerto Rico Dept of Education	PR	1,473	410.3	240.6	12	138	213	375	552	737	1,790
City of Chicago School District 29	IL	567	749.8	445.7	24	292	469	665	903	1,347	4,268
Dade County School District	FL	318	1,098.6	800.6	2	298	635	889	1,322	2,087	5,211
Broward County School District	FL	214	1,066.0	689.9	12	77	725	947	1,321	1,924	4,137
Houston Independent School District	TX	264	767.3	512.8	7	249	449	678	914	1,376	3,352
Philadelphia City School District	PA	250	806.7	489.7	210	370	518	699	929	1,291	3,152
Clark County School District	NV	209	953.5	631.4	20	437	618	795	1,037	1,673	3,496
Hawaii Department of Education	HI	249	754.3	450.4	10	313	448	649	892	1,222	2,500
Detroit City School District	MI	242	713.3	391.7	59	275	512	647	845	1,057	2,673
Dallas Independent School District	TX	208	754.6	435.5	25	291	474	711	917	1,188	4,026
Hillsborough County School District	FL	186	822.2	553.6	9	54	520	750	968	1,515	2,795
Fairfax County Public Schools	VA	176	828.6	597.1	271	358	492	669	903	1,563	3,976
Palm Beach County School District	FL	154	943.3	662.7	6	40	621	880	1,247	1,637	3,370
Orange County School District	FL	154	889.7	747.3	2	71	550	760	1,003	1,405	4,201
San Diego City Unified	CA	164	812.2	470.2	30	354	451	699	986	1,472	2,773
Prince Georges County Public Schools	MD	170	746.4	460.7	28	425	517	616	769	1,195	3,105
Montgomery County Public Schools	MD	178	712.1	399.1	249	394	461	586	797	1,272	2,755
Duval County School District	FL	166	760.6	519.0	21	181	406	621	1037	1,462	2,940
Memphis City School District	TN	154	723.2	339.1	91	358	476	668	867	1,141	1,952
Pinellas County School District	FL	144	755.9	517.6	4	48	457	687	933	1,617	2,135
Baltimore City Public School System	MD	160	618.2	373.4	55	314	390	519	698	1,162	2,428
Baltimore County Public Schools	MD	143	693.8	336.2	302	380	474	576	790	1,210	1,968
Jefferson (KY) County	KY	139	703.2	387.5	135	376	475	575	786	1,242	2,335
Milwaukee School District	WI	195	508.3	367.4	4	63	287	491	614	931	1,934
Gwinnett County School District	GA	78	1,263.3	567.9	131	703	880	1099	1552	2,067	2,920
Charlotte—Mecklenburg Schools	NC	127	770.8	454.1	50	388	493	649	850	1,347	2,478
De Kalb County School District	GA	110	833.0	392.4	73	407	535	733	1,060	1,464	1,976
Wake County Schools	NC	103	892.7	444.5	128	449	572	768	1,024	1,623	2,373
Cobb County School District	GA	92	988.2	526.4	319	447	646	877	1,120	1,672	2,826
Long Beach Unified	CA	82	1,057.5	805.5	9	408	661	922	1,172	1,451	4,509
Jefferson (CO) County R—1	CO	145	602.7	408.2	16	227	378	518	668	1,067	2,306
Albuquerque Public Schools	NM	115	731.5	486.3	245	392	447	592	750	1,192	2,347
Orleans Parish School Board	LA	112	720.9	333.2	208	355	447	665	886	1,200	1,715
Austin Independent School District	TX	95	830.8	504.9	5	380	506	691	981	1,561	3,082
Fresno Unified	CA	83	918.7	610.9	153	448	594	799	958	1,259	3,712
Fort Worth Independent School District	TX	102	719.2	366.4	15	357	472	679	820	1,075	2,440
Virginia Beach City Public Schools	VA	78	981.1	555.8	185	483	615	761	1,261	1,893	2,521
Polk County School District	FL	107	699.5	384.4	24	320	457	643	817	1,179	1,900
Cleveland City School District	OH	118	621.8	332.6	17	308	438	551	714	1,102	2,130
Anne Arundel County Public Schools	MD	107	684.7	451.4	147	312	403	556	713	1,388	2,179
Granite School District	UT	86	837.5	424.4	362	444	536	721	936	1,391	2,285
Jordan School District	UT	73	991.1	534.2	401	565	625	834	1,148	1,461	2,985
District of Columbia Public Schools	DC	148	465.0	196.6	46	277	355	446	530	674	1,436
Mesa Unified School District	AZ	72	980.5	568.4	17	499	755	841	1,029	1,433	2,949
Denver County	CO	115	585.1	344.7	48	267	358	535	646	967	1,915
Brevard County School District	FL	88	776.5	437.9	6	90	566	766	964	1,338	2,338
Nashville—Davidson County SD	TN	118	564.5	346.9	89	260	347	480	675	956	2,122
Fulton County School District	GA	63	1,027.4	412.6	433	618	754	931	1131	1,688	2,232
Mobile County School District	AL	92	707.1	391.5	62	269	447	655	835	1,249	2,171
Columbus City School District	OH	134	478.3	198.7	204	276	343	434	559	743	1,232
Boston School District	MA	120	502.0	367.5	30	162	251	406	654	886	2,352
El Paso Independent School District	TX	77	798.4	449.1	245	382	511	679	865	1,201	2,438
Tucson Unified District	AZ	110	563.2	405.4	1	175	345	477	639	1014	2,197

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Name of reporting district	State	Regular schools having membership	Mean membership	Standard deviation	Distribution of schools, by membership size						
					Minimum	10th percentile	25th percentile	Median	75th percentile	90th percentile	Maximum
Northside Independent School District	TX	88	917.7	648.9	7	255	571	779	1036	1,393	3,173
Guilford County Schools	NC	90	672.3	319.6	250	369	422	581	825	1,126	1,662
San Francisco Unified	CA	112	535.5	432.7	19	235	324	433	572	900	2,527
Atlanta City School District	GA	96	624.9	310.9	190	316	431	558	722	1,033	2,055
Volusia County School District	FL	80	743.5	624.6	8	20	220	665	905	1,825	2,655
Davis School District	UT	68	852.9	447.9	344	427	561	743	963	1,352	2,275
San Antonio Independent School District	TX	93	621.8	425.9	12	273	371	525	702	1,138	2,237
Seminole County School District	FL	57	1,006.1	636.4	2	96	777	896	1,141	1,928	2,914
Cypress—Fairbanks ISD	TX	47	1,225.2	610.7	8	798	903	1031	1332	1,602	3,038
Greenville County School District	SC	86	671.6	370.9	12	239	402	612	880	1,185	2,038
East Baton Rouge Parish School Board	LA	90	591.8	265.9	237	311	397	514	740	1,011	1,335
Santa Ana Unified	CA	45	1,229.1	633.5	505	686	891	1050	1,263	1,917	3,276
Arlington Independent School District	TX	61	883.2	590.8	3	543	616	706	872	1,021	3,420
Lee County School District	FL	63	852.9	432.4	39	255	526	867	1004	1,414	1,953
Portland School District 1J	OR	90	553.9	337.8	173	246	331	491	635	1,017	1,907
Oakland Unified	CA	81	658.1	467.4	65	256	345	524	832	1,179	2,355
Jefferson Parish School Board	LA	79	675.0	436.6	115	286	411	576	813	1,054	2,905
Washoe County School District	NV	80	677.5	449.9	62	351	456	549	700	1,238	2,414
Knox County School District	TN	78	658.9	401.5	11	227	348	607	901	1,122	2,083
Sacramento City Unified	CA	73	686.0	519.2	199	350	440	565	680	968	3,102
Cumberland County Schools	NC	73	695.9	481.7	4	181	328	609	956	1,327	2,295
Prince William County Public School	VA	61	835.7	578.4	362	455	505	628	962	1,195	3,107
Fort Bend Independent School District	TX	49	1,036.3	605.5	19	524	668	801	1,163	1,962	2,813
Chesterfield County Public Schools	VA	55	914.7	407.5	402	555	621	735	1121	1,563	2,289
Cincinnati City School District	OH	78	631.0	371.9	235	349	426	541	704	943	2,134
Anchorage School District	AK	75	626.9	441.6	164	340	408	511	570	968	2,290
Aldine Independent School District	TX	53	925.0	473.3	15	509	742	849	994	1,190	2,685
Minneapolis	MN	74	603.8	344.1	107	270	388	525	733	923	1,879
San Bernardino City Unified	CA	53	897.4	571.9	375	446	586	759	952	1,131	2,907
Seattle	WA	84	523.9	336.8	120	279	307	400	590	1,069	1,718
Shelby County School District	TN	46	1,047.7	465.8	328	376	875	1035	1,235	1,620	2,430
Garland Independent School District	TX	60	792.3	483.9	9	383	467	695	882	1,265	2,351
San Juan Unified	CA	73	640.8	400.6	47	365	424	482	680	1,110	1,987
North East Independent School District	TX	55	861.8	643.3	10	377	525	702	967	1,502	3,232
Wichita	KS	93	507.1	395.5	27	159	278	393	603	960	2,141
Ysleta Independent School District	TX	55	841.0	493.4	1	452	617	722	889	1,491	2,776
Buffalo City School District	NY	67	635.8	235.8	138	315	491	600	796	957	1,209
Caddo Parish School Board	LA	70	662.6	401.5	117	231	393	560	765	1,173	1,968
Garden Grove Unified	CA	61	760.0	393.5	329	455	542	666	755	1,523	2,064
Pasco County School District	FL	45	1,014.4	490.5	199	553	717	917	1,114	1,760	3,136
St. Louis City	MO	107	427.1	255.8	15	194	298	395	503	629	1,741
Escambia County School District	FL	72	625.7	497.5	5	71	224	590	773	1,360	2,135
St. Paul	MN	60	633.3	431.6	12	208	358	561	769	1,198	2,166
Alpine School District	UT	49	906.8	381.6	110	507	633	829	1,101	1,496	1,791
Omaha Public Schools	NE	78	576.4	434.4	44	226	329	438	682	888	2,387

— Not applicable.

* Includes outlying areas, Bureau of Indian Affairs, and Department of Defense (overseas) schools.

How to read this table: Using Dade County as an example, the table shows that smallest 25 percent of the schools have a pupil membership of 635 or less, while the largest 25 percent have a membership of 1,322 or more. If all the regular schools in Dade County were listed by size, the school at the mid-point on the list (the median) would have 889 pupils in membership. Dividing all students in regular schools by the number of such schools yields a mean, or average, size of 1,098.6 students. The standard deviation is a measure of how schools in the district are distributed between the minimum and maximum compared to the mean. Smaller standard deviations indicate the schools in the district are closer to the mean value while larger standard deviations indicate that school size is spread more widely across the range of possible values.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Common Core of Data, Public Elementary/Secondary School Universe Survey, 1998-1999, and Local Education Agency Universe Survey, 1998-1999.

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Table 5. Number of students in public elementary and secondary schools in the 100 largest school districts in the United States[1], by grade ranges: School year 1998–1999

Name of reporting district	State	Total number of students[2]	Grade range			
			PK to 6	7 to 9	10 to 12	Ungraded
Total		**10,866,566**	**6,236,873**	**2,498,212**	**1,907,191**	**225,280**
New York City Public Schools	NY	1,071,073	571,492	243,916	171,082	84,583
Los Angeles Unified	CA	695,885	409,202	148,015	111,781	26,887
Puerto Rico Dept of Education	PR	613,862	344,020	141,144	113,719	14,979
City of Chicago School District 29	IL	430,914	276,612	92,969	61,333	*
Dade County School District	FL	352,317	202,757	86,362	63,198	—
Broward County School District	FL	231,187	134,335	54,928	41,924	—
Houston Independent School District	TX	210,179	133,581	45,888	30,710	—
Philadelphia City School District	PA	207,465	113,875	47,170	36,108	10,312
Clark County School District	NV	203,777	121,043	45,268	36,904	562
Hawaii Department of Education	HI	188,089	107,682	43,074	37,213	100
Detroit City School District	MI	179,102	108,192	35,879	22,725	12,306
Dallas Independent School District	TX	159,906	100,917	37,405	21,586	—
Hillsborough County School District	FL	156,452	92,622	39,098	24,732	—
Fairfax County Public Schools	VA	149,029	76,451	32,345	31,581	8,652
Palm Beach County School District	FL	146,566	83,227	36,633	26,706	—
Orange County School District	FL	138,860	79,562	34,928	24,370	—
San Diego City Unified	CA	138,433	81,851	30,449	24,323	1,810
Prince Georges County Public Schools	MD	130,259	72,665	28,270	24,959	4,365
Montgomery County Public Schools	MD	127,933	72,626	29,316	25,539	452
Duval County School District	FL	127,411	76,529	31,204	19,678	—
Memphis City School District	TN	111,691	66,342	24,692	17,952	2,705
Pinellas County School District	FL	110,582	62,044	27,659	20,879	—
Baltimore City Public School System	MD	106,540	64,678	25,180	16,682	—
Baltimore County Public Schools	MD	105,914	60,178	24,464	20,922	350
Jefferson (KY) County	KY	99,037	28,057	23,024	19,954	28,002
Milwaukee School District	WI	99,814	62,555	22,612	14,647	—
Gwinnett County School District	GA	98,784	56,357	24,048	18,379	—
Charlotte—Mecklenburg Schools	NC	98,758	58,059	23,392	17,307	—
De Kalb County School District	GA	93,171	54,273	22,208	16,690	—
Wake County Schools	NC	92,256	54,310	21,546	16,400	—
Cobb County School District	GA	91,208	51,042	21,497	18,669	—
Long Beach Unified	CA	89,214	51,523	19,237	16,507	1,947
Jefferson (CO) County R—1	CO	88,654	47,970	21,945	18,694	45
Albuquerque Public Schools	NM	85,847	48,143	20,827	16,877	—
Orleans Parish School Board	LA	82,176	46,364	18,732	15,080	—
Austin Independent School District	TX	79,496	47,954	18,529	13,013	—
Fresno Unified	CA	78,942	46,264	19,649	13,011	18
Fort Worth Independent School District	TX	77,956	47,469	17,664	12,823	—
Virginia Beach City Public Schools	VA	77,442	41,937	18,991	15,272	1,242
Polk County School District	FL	77,300	44,557	19,511	13,232	—
Cleveland City School District	OH	75,386	46,969	18,508	9,792	117
Anne Arundel County Public Schools	MD	74,079	41,183	17,892	14,607	397
Granite School District	UT	73,474	38,688	16,554	16,969	1,263
Jordan School District	UT	73,286	37,555	16,585	17,039	2,107
District of Columbia Public Schools	DC	71,889	45,634	13,027	9,545	3,683
Mesa Unified School District	AZ	71,264	40,955	16,092	14,218	19
Denver County	CO	68,790	42,989	14,880	10,921	—
Brevard County School District	FL	68,681	38,832	17,044	12,805	—
Nashville—Davidson County SD	TN	67,016	39,087	14,943	10,549	2,437
Fulton County School District	GA	65,642	38,217	14,319	13,106	—
Mobile County School District	AL	65,209	36,999	15,761	12,449	—
Columbus City School District	OH	64,612	39,377	14,784	10,231	220
Boston School District	MA	61,291	35,424	13,971	11,896	—
El Paso Independent School District	TX	62,945	35,857	15,676	11,412	—
Tucson Unified District	AZ	62,670	36,602	14,505	11,537	26

Table 5. Number of students in public elementary and secondary schools in the 100 largest school districts in the United States[1], by grade ranges: School year 1998–1999 (Continued)

Name of reporting district	State	Total number of students[2]	Grade range			
			PK to 6	7 to 9	10 to 12	Ungraded
Northside Independent School District	TX	61,308	34,218	15,224	11,866	—
Guilford County Schools	NC	61,154	35,580	14,532	11,042	—
San Francisco Unified	CA	61,042	33,605	13,927	13,488	22
Atlanta City School District	GA	60,541	38,269	13,266	9,006	—
Volusia County School District	FL	59,851	33,429	15,329	11,093	—
Davis School District	UT	59,285	30,408	13,285	14,382	1,210
San Antonio Independent School District	TX	59,080	35,524	13,998	9,558	—
Seminole County School District	FL	58,156	32,199	14,525	11,432	—
Cypress—Fairbanks ISD	TX	58,044	32,784	13,978	11,282	—
Greenville County School District	SC	57,884	32,348	14,539	10,999	—
East Baton Rouge Parish School Board	LA	56,527	30,429	13,304	10,639	2,155
Santa Ana Unified	CA	56,071	35,691	11,499	8,706	175
Arlington Independent School District	TX	55,709	32,850	13,511	9,348	—
Lee County School District	FL	54,779	32,022	12,925	9,832	—
Portland School District 1J	OR	54,546	29,729	12,361	11,229	1,227
Oakland Unified	CA	54,256	35,043	11,276	7,917	20
Jefferson Parish School Board	LA	53,615	30,894	12,835	9,750	136
Washoe County School District	NV	52,813	30,483	12,005	10,223	102
Knox County School District	TN	51,666	28,891	11,823	10,952	—
Sacramento City Unified	CA	51,378	30,206	11,801	9,371	—
Cumberland County Schools	NC	51,297	29,457	12,416	9,424	—
Prince William County Public School	VA	51,111	28,024	11,630	9,874	1,583
Fort Bend Independent School District	TX	50,890	26,987	13,235	10,668	—
Chesterfield County Public Schools	VA	50,621	27,928	12,252	10,206	235
Cincinnati City School District	OH	49,215	30,995	11,536	6,541	143
Anchorage School District	AK	49,587	28,256	11,418	9,913	—
Aldine Independent School District	TX	49,453	30,423	11,560	7,470	—
Minneapolis	MN	49,229	30,054	10,851	8,324	—
San Bernardino City Unified	CA	48,907	29,541	11,666	7,427	273
Seattle	WA	48,280	28,075	10,087	10,118	—
Shelby County School District	TN	48,194	26,109	11,555	9,960	570
Garland Independent School District	TX	47,967	27,859	11,434	8,674	—
San Juan Unified	CA	47,799	25,473	11,238	11,079	9
North East Independent School District	TX	47,732	26,538	11,707	9,487	—
Wichita	KS	47,157	27,160	10,884	8,905	208
Ysleta Independent School District	TX	47,238	25,721	10,948	10,569	—
Buffalo City School District	NY	47,096	26,643	9,915	7,019	3,519
Caddo Parish School Board	LA	47,089	26,252	11,810	9,027	—
Garden Grove Unified	CA	46,916	27,539	10,009	9,287	81
Pasco County School District	FL	46,065	26,237	11,022	8,806	—
St. Louis City	MO	45,947	28,560	9,108	5,374	2,905
Escambia County School District	FL	45,667	26,175	11,197	8,295	—
St. Paul	MN	45,349	26,016	9,913	9,420	—
Alpine School District	UT	45,208	23,840	9,645	10,602	1,121
Omaha Public Schools	NE	45,118	25,726	11,024	8,368	—

— Data not available or not applicable

[1]Includes outlying areas, Bureau of Indian Affairs, and Department of Defense (overseas) schools.

[2] Students distribution by type of school is based on membership in the schools of the school district. This count may differ somewhat from the count of students receiving educational services from the school district reported in table 1, it may also differ from the count of students on table 3 because table 5 is based on reported students by grade and table 3 is based on reported total student count.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Common Core of Data, Public Elementary/Secondary School Universe Survey, 1998–1999, and Local Education Agency Universe Survey, 1998–1999.

Table 6. Number of public elementary and secondary schools in the 100 largest school districts in the United States*, by specified instructional level: School year 1998–1999

Name of reporting district	State	Schools having membership	Instructional level			
			Primary	Middle	High	Other
Total		**15,221**	**9,731**	**2,318**	**2,134**	**1,040**
New York City Public Schools	NY	1,156	676	198	164	118
Los Angeles Unified	CA	850	449	74	106	21
Puerto Rico Dept of Education	PR	1,519	900	218	175	226
City of Chicago School District 29	IL	590	471	18	72	29
Dade County School District	FL	322	212	50	45	15
Broward County School District	FL	228	140	35	26	27
Houston Independent School District	TX	296	196	46	45	9
Philadelphia City School District	PA	259	174	43	34	8
Clark County School District	NV	228	148	36	27	17
Hawaii Department of Education	HI	253	175	32	36	10
Detroit City School District	MI	267	179	36	40	12
Dallas Independent School District	TX	223	145	36	36	6
Hillsborough County School District	FL	197	115	36	24	22
Fairfax County Public Schools	VA	205	132	22	28	23
Palm Beach County School District	FL	160	83	25	22	30
Orange County School District	FL	171	99	26	18	28
San Diego City Unified	CA	174	120	26	21	7
Prince Georges County Public Schools	MD	187	127	27	27	6
Montgomery County Public Schools	MD	187	127	32	23	5
Duval County School District	FL	173	106	26	19	22
Memphis City School District	TN	156	103	21	28	4
Pinellas County School District	FL	153	82	23	18	30
Baltimore City Public School System	MD	182	125	28	22	7
Baltimore County Public Schools	MD	160	106	27	25	2
Jefferson (KY) County	KY	157	89	25	38	5
Milwaukee School District	WI	204	126	28	37	13
Gwinnett County School District	GA	80	49	16	13	2
Charlotte—Mecklenburg Schools	NC	134	85	29	16	4
De Kalb County School District	GA	114	82	12	19	1
Wake County Schools	NC	106	69	22	14	1
Cobb County School District	GA	93	61	18	13	1
Long Beach Unified	CA	86	58	15	8	5
Jefferson (CO) County R—1	CO	155	104	22	21	8
Albuquerque Public Schools	NM	125	80	24	17	4
Orleans Parish School Board	LA	122	80	16	23	3
Austin Independent School District	TX	102	69	15	13	5
Fresno Unified	CA	91	61	14	13	3
Fort Worth Independent School District	TX	136	75	25	21	15
Virginia Beach City Public Schools	VA	81	54	15	12	0
Polk County School District	FL	132	65	20	19	28
Cleveland City School District	OH	122	82	23	15	2
Anne Arundel County Public Schools	MD	116	80	20	15	1
Granite School District	UT	97	62	15	15	5
Jordan School District	UT	77	51	15	8	3
District of Columbia Public Schools	DC	164	110	22	21	11
Mesa Unified School District	AZ	78	52	14	8	4
Denver County	CO	122	85	18	16	3
Brevard County School District	FL	98	54	16	12	16
Nashville—Davidson County SD	TN	124	67	37	15	5
Fulton County School District	GA	65	40	13	11	1
Mobile County School District	AL	97	56	19	19	3
Columbus City School District	OH	139	91	25	19	4
Boston School District	MA	127	85	20	20	2
El Paso Independent School District	TX	83	54	14	13	2
Tucson Unified District	AZ	118	76	22	17	3

Table 6. Number of public elementary and secondary schools in the 100 largest school districts in the United States*, by specified instructional level: School year 1998–1999 (Continued)

Name of reporting district	State	Schools having membership	Instructional level			
			Primary	Middle	High	Other
Northside Independent School District	TX	83	44	14	13	12
Guilford County Schools	NC	93	61	16	14	2
San Francisco Unified	CA	116	78	17	21	0
Atlanta City School District	GA	98	70	15	12	1
Volusia County School District	FL	87	47	10	12	18
Davis School District	UT	79	48	14	14	3
San Antonio Independent School District	TX	108	68	18	12	10
Seminole County School District	FL	63	34	11	7	11
Cypress—Fairbanks ISD	TX	52	30	10	7	5
Greenville County School District	SC	88	56	16	14	2
East Baton Rouge Parish School Board	LA	104	64	19	18	3
Santa Ana Unified	CA	49	33	9	7	0
Arlington Independent School District	TX	68	46	13	8	1
Lee County School District	FL	73	38	13	12	10
Portland School District 1J	OR	111	68	20	18	5
Oakland Unified	CA	88	58	19	10	1
Jefferson Parish School Board	LA	83	55	16	9	3
Washoe County School District	NV	84	58	11	11	4
Knox County School District	TN	82	50	13	17	2
Sacramento City Unified	CA	76	60	8	7	1
Cumberland County Schools	NC	76	51	13	11	1
Prince William County Public School	VA	64	44	11	6	3
Fort Bend Independent School District	TX	50	32	9	8	1
Chesterfield County Public Schools	VA	57	35	12	10	0
Cincinnati City School District	OH	78	63	7	7	1
Anchorage School District	AK	92	62	13	15	2
Aldine Independent School District	TX	56	29	16	6	5
Minneapolis	MN	124	75	12	26	11
San Bernardino City Unified	CA	61	44	8	7	2
Seattle	WA	117	74	13	21	9
Shelby County School District	TN	46	28	10	7	1
Garland Independent School District	TX	64	41	13	7	3
San Juan Unified	CA	82	54	10	13	5
North East Independent School District	TX	63	35	12	12	4
Wichita	KS	93	62	16	13	2
Ysleta Independent School District	TX	60	35	12	11	2
Buffalo City School District	NY	74	53	3	13	5
Caddo Parish School Board	LA	73	48	11	12	2
Garden Grove Unified	CA	65	46	9	10	0
Pasco County School District	FL	49	29	8	8	4
St. Louis City	MO	110	71	22	11	6
Escambia County School District	FL	83	43	13	13	14
St. Paul	MN	124	77	11	24	12
Alpine School District	UT	54	34	8	9	3
Omaha Public Schools	NE	80	58	12	9	1

* Includes outlying areas, Bureau of Indian Affairs, and Department of Defense (overseas) schools.

NOTE: Primary = low grade, PK to 3; high grade, up to 8.
Middle = low grade, 4 to 7; high grade, 4 to 9.
High = low grade, 7 to 12; high grade 12.
Other = any other combination, including PK, K, or 1 to 12.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Common Core of Data, Public Elementary/Secondary School Universe Survey, 1998–1999, and Local Education Agency Universe Survey, 1998–1999.

Table 7. Median pupil/teacher ratios in public elementary and secondary schools in the 100 largest school districts in the United States*, by specified instructional level: School year 1998–1999

Name of reporting district	State	Total schools having membership	Instructional level			
			Primary	Middle	High	Other
New York City Public Schools	NY	17.4	17.6	16.8	19.1	6.5
Los Angeles Unified	CA	19.5	19.2	24.7	23.9	9.5
Puerto Rico Dept of Education	PR	15.2	14.8	15.6	16.1	15.1
City of Chicago School District 29	IL	16.2	16.8	17.3	16.1	13.1
Dade County School District	FL	16.5	17.8	24.1	23.0	7.2
Broward County School District	FL	20.6	20.6	21.2	22.6	—
Houston Independent School District	TX	17.4	17.9	16.9	15.5	4.8
Philadelphia City School District	PA	19.2	19.2	19.2	19.9	18.4
Clark County School District	NV	16.8	16.2	22.0	23.9	9.3
Hawaii Department of Education	HI	17.9	18.1	17.7	17.6	14.8
Detroit City School District	MI	21.2	22.0	21.0	19.4	9.0
Dallas Independent School District	TX	16.7	20.0	15.1	16.2	8.5
Hillsborough County School District	FL	16.5	16.8	16.1	16.9	8.0
Fairfax County Public Schools	VA	14.9	15.3	15.0	15.8	4.2
Palm Beach County School District	FL	17.8	18.4	18.5	19.3	—
Orange County School District	FL	16.4	16.3	19.1	19.8	3.7
San Diego City Unified	CA	20.1	19.4	22.5	23.9	22.1
Prince Georges County Public Schools	MD	18.0	19.1	17.5	17.6	5.2
Montgomery County Public Schools	MD	17.9	18.4	17.0	17.4	8.7
Duval County School District	FL	18.1	17.9	19.9	21.2	7.3
Memphis City School District	TN	—	—	—	—	—
Pinellas County School District	FL	17.7	17.7	21.1	22.3	—
Baltimore City Public School System	MD	18.6	19.1	17.1	18.5	7.5
Baltimore County Public Schools	MD	17.2	17.6	15.6	17.5	5.5
Jefferson (KY) County	KY	24.0	27.2	20.0	18.4	5.1
Milwaukee School District	WI	16.9	18.0	15.2	15.3	14.9
Gwinnett County School District	GA	16.2	15.5	16.2	18.9	5.0
Charlotte—Mecklenburg Schools	NC	15.1	15.9	13.6	16.1	9.7
De Kalb County School District	GA	16.0	15.6	15.8	17.4	15.9
Wake County Schools	NC	16.0	16.2	15.2	15.8	2.0
Cobb County School District	GA	15.9	15.7	15.7	17.8	16.4
Long Beach Unified	CA	22.4	21.9	24.8	27.5	19.6
Jefferson (CO) County R—1	CO	20.7	21.0	20.4	20.9	5.2
Albuquerque Public Schools	NM	15.7	15.6	15.2	18.9	14.2
Orleans Parish School Board	LA	18.0	18.0	17.9	18.6	7.8
Austin Independent School District	TX	15.6	15.3	16.3	19.4	3.3
Fresno Unified	CA	20.4	20.1	21.5	23.7	23.7
Fort Worth Independent School District	TX	17.6	18.2	16.6	17.0	9.0
Virginia Beach City Public Schools	VA	15.9	16.0	15.3	16.5	—
Polk County School District	FL	16.9	17.5	18.5	17.1	—
Cleveland City School District	OH	14.9	14.8	14.8	16.5	10.3
Anne Arundel County Public Schools	MD	18.7	18.7	18.5	19.3	6.4
Granite School District	UT	21.3	21.5	21.4	19.3	15.1
Jordan School District	UT	21.9	21.9	22.4	22.1	4.4
District of Columbia Public Schools	DC	14.4	14.7	14.3	14.7	7.7
Mesa Unified School District	AZ	21.2	21.4	19.9	22.8	0.9
Denver County	CO	20.7	21.1	21.7	18.5	25.6
Brevard County School District	FL	17.0	16.7	19.3	20.6	6.3
Nashville—Davidson County SD	TN	—	—	—	—	—
Fulton County School District	GA	15.5	15.4	14.5	15.9	19.4
Mobile County School District	AL	15.9	15.9	16.3	16.6	4.8
Columbus City School District	OH	18.5	20.2	16.1	16.6	9.7
Boston School District	MA	—	—	—	—	—
El Paso Independent School District	TX	15.9	16.0	15.6	16.2	7.6
Tucson Unified District	AZ	18.4	19.5	15.8	19.8	—

Table 7. Median pupil/teacher ratios in public elementary and secondary schools in the 100 largest school districts in the United States*, by specified instructional level: School year 1998–1999 (Continued)

Name of reporting district	State	Total schools having membership	Instructional level			
			Primary	Middle	High	Other
Northside Independent School District	TX	14.9	15.2	14.6	15.1	6.2
Guilford County Schools	NC	15.4	15.7	15.5	15.0	2.9
San Francisco Unified	CA	19.1	19.0	19.8	20.2	—
Atlanta City School District	GA	15.3	14.8	15.4	16.9	14.2
Volusia County School District	FL	15.2	15.7	15.9	18.0	7.9
Davis School District	UT	21.4	21.8	21.1	20.6	18.8
San Antonio Independent School District	TX	15.4	15.3	16.6	16.3	9.5
Seminole County School District	FL	18.2	18.2	19.5	20.2	—
Cypress—Fairbanks ISD	TX	16.2	16.8	15.6	15.5	2.3
Greenville County School District	SC	16.5	15.4	17.3	18.5	3.6
East Baton Rouge Parish School Board	LA	16.0	16.5	15.5	15.6	—
Santa Ana Unified	CA	22.9	22.6	25.1	25.7	—
Arlington Independent School District	TX	16.5	17.3	15.3	14.5	—
Lee County School District	FL	18.0	18.3	17.6	19.8	9.6
Portland School District 1J	OR	19.9	20.3	19.6	17.1	—
Oakland Unified	CA	19.7	19.7	20.5	21.0	11.2
Jefferson Parish School Board	LA	15.8	15.8	17.2	15.1	4.9
Washoe County School District	NV	19.2	18.9	19.9	21.2	12.5
Knox County School District	TN	—	—	—	—	—
Sacramento City Unified	CA	21.5	21.1	23.7	25.8	41.6
Cumberland County Schools	NC	13.9	13.5	15.8	16.3	6.3
Prince William County Public School	VA	16.0	16.4	15.2	17.1	4.1
Fort Bend Independent School District	TX	17.0	16.9	17.5	15.8	15.3
Chesterfield County Public Schools	VA	16.3	17.4	15.6	16.3	—
Cincinnati City School District	OH	17.4	17.6	13.1	17.7	14.2
Anchorage School District	AK	18.8	19.0	17.0	20.4	15.9
Aldine Independent School District	TX	14.7	15.4	14.1	15.3	2.7
Minneapolis	MN	11.9	12.0	11.8	10.2	2.7
San Bernardino City Unified	CA	21.4	20.8	23.3	24.4	173.8
Seattle	WA	18.9	18.9	20.2	19.1	—
Shelby County School District	TN	—	—	—	—	—
Garland Independent School District	TX	17.0	16.9	18.0	16.3	2.8
San Juan Unified	CA	21.9	21.5	26.1	23.9	11.9
North East Independent School District	TX	14.7	15.1	14.7	14.1	7.0
Wichita	KS	17.1	17.3	15.1	18.4	3.0
Ysleta Independent School District	TX	15.4	15.6	14.8	14.5	1.3
Buffalo City School District	NY	15.3	15.5	13.4	14.5	12.0
Caddo Parish School Board	LA	16.2	16.0	17.2	17.0	3.4
Garden Grove Unified	CA	21.9	21.6	25.0	24.6	—
Pasco County School District	FL	17.2	16.4	17.7	18.9	6.6
St. Louis City	MO	14.3	14.4	14.0	15.0	7.0
Escambia County School District	FL	16.7	17.0	19.9	16.5	4.1
St. Paul	MN	9.6	10.4	13.0	5.1	2.3
Alpine School District	UT	20.7	20.2	23.6	20.6	5.9
Omaha Public Schools	NE	16.1	16.4	13.5	16.9	5.7

— Data not available or not applicable

* Includes outlying areas, Bureau of Indian Affairs, and Department of Defense (overseas) schools.

NOTE: Primary = low grade, PK to 3; high grade, up to 8.
Middle = low grade, 4 to 7; high grade, 4 to 9.
High = low grade, 7 to 12; high grade 12.
Other = any other combination, including PK, K, or 1 to 12.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Common Core of Data, Public Elementary/Secondary School Universe Survey, 1998–1999, and Local Education Agency Universe Survey, 1998–1999.

Table 8. Number of public elementary and secondary schools in the 100 largest school districts in the United States*, by specified minority membership categories, and minority students as a percentage of school district membership: School year 1998–1999

Name of reporting district	State	Schools having membership	Minority membership percentage					Total percentage of minority students
			0 – 20 percent	21 – 40 percent	41 – 60 percent	61 – 80 percent	81 – 100 percent	
Total		**16,221**	**1,569**	**2,029**	**2,120**	**2,028**	**7,475**	**67.0**
New York City Public Schools	NY	1,156	23	46	119	128	840	84.5
Los Angeles Unified	CA	650	2	21	50	99	478	89.5
Puerto Rico Dept of Education	PR	1,519	0	0	0	0	1,519	100.0
City of Chicago School District 29	IL	590	0	18	27	65	480	89.9
Dade County School District	FL	322	1	1	21	56	243	87.4
Broward County School District	FL	228	13	49	62	48	56	55.3
Houston Independent School District	TX	296	0	7	17	20	252	89.5
Philadelphia City School District	PA	259	8	15	37	27	172	81.6
Clark County School District	NV	228	28	80	62	36	22	45.7
Hawaii Department of Education	HI	253	0	6	23	81	143	79.2
Detroit City School District	MI	267	0	2	5	13	247	95.7
Dallas Independent School District	TX	223	1	4	10	32	176	90.7
Hillsborough County School District	FL	197	7	70	56	40	24	45.9
Fairfax County Public Schools	VA	205	34	82	54	28	7	36.7
Palm Beach County School District	FL	160	23	37	37	25	38	48.0
Orange County School District	FL	171	11	40	53	40	27	52.2
San Diego City Unified	CA	174	0	19	41	45	69	71.8
Prince Georges County Public Schools	MD	187	1	5	11	28	142	86.1
Montgomery County Public Schools	MD	187	23	51	56	47	10	48.1
Duval County School District	FL	173	12	51	48	29	33	48.2
Memphis City School District	TN	156	1	7	10	16	122	86.9
Pinellas County School District	FL	153	47	72	32	1	1	26.1
Baltimore City Public School System	MD	182	10	2	10	19	141	87.8
Baltimore County Public Schools	MD	160	73	39	15	10	23	34.6
Jefferson (KY) County	KY	157	4	94	53	6	0	35.8
Milwaukee School District	WI	204	0	3	29	44	128	79.8
Gwinnett County School District	GA	80	41	20	7	10	2	27.9
Charlotte—Mecklenburg Schools	NC	134	9	16	60	35	14	50.3
De Kalb County School District	GA	114	2	3	13	18	78	86.2
Wake County Schools	NC	106	11	48	43	4	0	34.1
Cobb County School District	GA	93	46	17	16	11	3	28.7
Long Beach Unified	CA	86	1	2	13	25	45	81.1
Jefferson (CO) County R—1	CO	155	121	26	8	0	0	15.4
Albuquerque Public Schools	NM	125	9	28	27	22	39	58.0
Orleans Parish School Board	LA	122	0	4	2	4	112	95.3
Austin Independent School District	TX	102	6	15	17	22	42	64.3
Fresno Unified	CA	91	1	6	14	16	54	78.5
Fort Worth Independent School District	TX	136	7	9	19	24	77	76.0
Virginia Beach City Public Schools	VA	81	15	38	23	3	2	34.9
Polk County School District	FL	132	16	68	39	9	0	34.5
Cleveland City School District	OH	122	0	13	13	22	74	80.5
Anne Arundel County Public Schools	MD	116	61	27	19	6	3	23.7
Granite School District	UT	97	57	36	4	0	0	18.8
Jordan School District	UT	77	72	4	1	0	0	6.5
District of Columbia Public Schools	DC	164	0	6	3	4	151	95.7
Mesa Unified School District	AZ	78	35	20	16	6	1	28.7
Denver County	CO	122	2	9	24	18	69	75.6
Brevard County School District	FL	98	57	29	6	5	1	20.2
Nashville—Davidson County SD	TN	124	7	31	44	25	17	53.7
Fulton County School District	GA	65	18	9	11	5	22	49.6
Mobile County School District	AL	97	23	14	14	14	32	51.8
Columbus City School District	OH	139	17	24	21	38	39	60.4
Boston School District	MA	127	0	0	4	35	88	84.4
El Paso Independent School District	TX	83	0	0	8	18	57	83.1
Tucson Unified District	AZ	118	6	27	36	22	27	55.8

Table 8. Number of public elementary and secondary schools in the 100 largest school districts in the United States*, by specified minority membership categories, and minority students as a percentage of school district membership: School year 1998–1999 (Continued)

Name of reporting district	State	Schools having membership	Minority membership percentage					Total percentage of minority students
			0 – 20 percent	21 – 40 percent	41 – 60 percent	61 – 80 percent	81 – 100 percent	
Northside Independent School District	TX	83	0	9	29	22	23	61.0
Guilford County Schools	NC	93	14	24	17	23	15	46.9
San Francisco Unified	CA	116	0	0	2	25	89	87.8
Atlanta City School District	GA	98	2	2	1	8	85	93.4
Volusia County School District	FL	87	33	30	14	8	2	24.9
Davis School District	UT	79	73	5	1	0	0	6.9
San Antonio Independent School District	TX	108	1	0	3	3	101	95.2
Seminole County School District	FL	63	15	29	13	5	1	28.8
Cypress—Fairbanks ISD	TX	52	11	16	18	5	2	37.5
Greenville County School District	SC	88	26	30	22	9	1	30.1
East Baton Rouge Parish School Board	LA	104	4	12	13	21	54	68.4
Santa Ana Unified	CA	49	0	0	0	1	48	96.7
Arlington Independent School District	TX	68	11	12	21	18	6	46.3
Lee County School District	FL	73	14	35	19	4	1	30.7
Portland School District 1J	OR	111	33	38	24	11	5	34.6
Oakland Unified	CA	88	0	4	3	4	77	93.6
Jefferson Parish School Board	LA	83	6	16	23	25	13	56.7
Washoe County School District	NV	84	32	30	7	10	5	30.1
Knox County School District	TN	82	56	15	2	3	6	16.6
Sacramento City Unified	CA	76	0	3	15	24	34	74.1
Cumberland County Schools	NC	76	3	16	24	24	9	55.5
Prince William County Public School	VA	64	12	24	24	4	0	35.6
Fort Bend Independent School District	TX	50	1	12	14	11	12	58.5
Chesterfield County Public Schools	VA	57	29	16	8	4	0	25.6
Cincinnati City School District	OH	78	2	4	16	15	41	73.6
Anchorage School District	AK	92	21	38	21	10	2	34.4
Aldine Independent School District	TX	56	0	0	1	6	49	86.4
Minneapolis	MN	124	3	9	29	41	42	69.8
San Bernardino City Unified	CA	61	0	0	2	35	24	77.2
Seattle	WA	117	0	26	35	23	33	59.6
Shelby County School District	TN	46	26	8	5	7	0	27.8
Garland Independent School District	TX	64	0	13	41	10	0	47.0
San Juan Unified	CA	82	39	32	9	2	0	23.4
North East Independent School District	TX	63	6	13	19	18	7	48.3
Wichita	KS	93	1	46	30	9	7	44.1
Ysleta Independent School District	TX	60	0	0	0	11	49	90.2
Buffalo City School District	NY	74	0	1	22	32	19	69.3
Caddo Parish School Board	LA	73	3	15	14	8	33	62.9
Garden Grove Unified	CA	65	0	5	2	20	38	78.1
Pasco County School District	FL	49	41	4	2	1	1	11.4
St. Louis City	MO	110	0	0	9	35	66	82.6
Escambia County School District	FL	83	18	21	25	8	11	40.6
St. Paul	MN	124	7	8	37	53	19	62.5
Alpine School District	UT	54	52	2	0	0	0	6.5
Omaha Public Schools	NE	80	12	36	21	8	3	38.9

* Includes outlying areas, Bureau of Indian Affairs, and Department of Defense (overseas) schools.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Common Core of Data, Public Elementary/Secondary School Universe Survey, 1998–1999, and Local Education Agency Universe Survey, 1998–1999.

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Table 9. Selected students characteristics as a percentage of school district membership, and percentage of schools for which characteristic is reported, in the 100 largest school districts in the United States[1]: School year 1998–1999

Name of reporting district	State	Schools having membership	Students eligible for free and reduced-price lunch[2]		Racial/ethnic composition of district as a percentage of membership				
			Percentage of reported membership	Percentage of schools reporting	Amer Indian/ Alaskan Native	Asian/ Pacific Islander	Hispanic	Black/ non-Hispanic	White/ non-Hispanic
Total		**15,221**	**52.3**	**87.9**	**0.8**	**6.6**	**26.2**	**30.6**	**33.0**
New York City Public Schools	NY	1,156	64.1	100.0	0.3	10.9	37.7	35.6	15.5
Los Angeles Unified	CA	650	73.2	100.0	0.3	6.5	69.1	13.6	10.5
Puerto Rico Dept of Education	PR	1,519	80.7	99.5	—	—	100.0	—	—
City of Chicago School District 29	IL	590	—	—	0.2	3.2	33.4	53.1	10.1
Dade County School District	FL	322	58.7	99.7	0.1	1.3	53.1	33.0	12.6
Broward County School District	FL	228	37.1	99.6	0.3	2.7	16.2	36.1	44.7
Houston Independent School District	TX	296	66.6	100.0	0.1	2.8	52.9	33.8	10.5
Philadelphia City School District	PA	259	—	—	0.2	4.7	12.2	64.6	18.4
Clark County School District	NV	228	35.3	83.8	0.9	6.0	24.9	13.9	54.3
Hawaii Department of Education	HI	253	38.0	100.0	0.4	71.7	4.6	2.4	20.8
Detroit City School District	MI	267	65.8	100.0	0.2	1.0	3.3	91.3	4.3
Dallas Independent School District	TX	223	70.4	100.0	0.4	1.6	49.3	39.4	9.3
Hillsborough County School District	FL	197	47.8	100.0	0.4	2.1	19.1	24.3	54.1
Fairfax County Public Schools	VA	205	18.4	100.0	0.4	14.4	10.7	11.2	63.3
Palm Beach County School District	FL	160	34.3	99.4	0.5	2.0	15.5	30.0	52.0
Orange County School District	FL	171	45.5	99.4	0.3	3.4	19.3	29.2	47.8
San Diego City Unified	CA	174	61.0	100.0	0.6	18.3	36.2	16.7	28.2
Prince Georges County Public Schools	MD	187	39.2	99.5	0.5	3.5	6.3	75.8	13.9
Montgomery County Public Schools	MD	187	22.5	100.0	0.3	12.8	13.9	21.0	51.9
Duval County School District	FL	173	47.1	100.0	0.2	2.7	3.3	42.0	51.8
Memphis City School District	TN	156	—	—	0.1	1.1	1.1	84.7	13.1
Pinellas County School District	FL	153	38.4	100.0	0.2	2.9	3.9	19.1	73.9
Baltimore City Public School System	MD	182	68.3	100.0	0.4	0.6	0.5	86.4	12.2
Baltimore County Public Schools	MD	160	27.2	100.0	0.4	3.6	1.3	29.3	65.4
Jefferson (KY) County	KY	157	48.0	99.4	0.1	1.1	1.1	33.5	62.6
Milwaukee School District	WI	204	73.3	100.0	1.0	4.1	13.3	61.4	20.2
Gwinnett County School District	GA	80	16.4	100.0	0.1	7.8	6.6	13.4	72.1
Charlotte—Mecklenburg Schools	NC	134	37.9	98.5	0.5	4.1	3.4	42.4	49.7
De Kalb County School District	GA	114	55.4	100.0	0.1	3.9	5.0	77.1	13.8
Wake County Schools	NC	106	20.8	99.1	0.3	3.6	3.1	27.1	65.9
Cobb County School District	GA	93	17.8	100.0	0.2	3.0	4.6	20.9	71.3
Long Beach Unified	CA	86	68.5	100.0	0.4	18.4	42.0	20.3	18.9
Jefferson (CO) County R—1	CO	155	9.8	100.0	0.8	3.1	10.3	1.3	84.6
Albuquerque Public Schools	NM	125	38.4	100.0	4.2	1.8	48.3	3.7	42.0
Orleans Parish School Board	LA	122	75.4	100.0	—	2.3	1.2	91.7	4.7
Austin Independent School District	TX	102	49.0	100.0	0.3	2.5	44.1	17.4	35.7
Fresno Unified	CA	91	72.2	100.0	0.8	19.5	46.6	11.5	21.5
Fort Worth Independent School District	TX	136	54.8	99.3	0.2	2.3	41.1	32.3	24.0
Virginia Beach City Public Schools	VA	81	24.5	100.0	0.2	5.3	3.3	26.1	65.1
Polk County School District	FL	132	51.9	99.2	0.2	0.9	9.9	23.5	65.5
Cleveland City School District	OH	122	82.1	100.0	0.3	0.9	8.0	71.3	19.5
Anne Arundel County Public Schools	MD	116	16.4	100.0	0.1	2.5	1.9	19.2	76.3
Granite School District	UT	97	30.2	97.9	1.1	5.8	10.7	1.2	81.2
Jordan School District	UT	77	16.3	98.7	0.4	1.7	4.0	0.4	93.5
District of Columbia Public Schools	DC	164	—	—	—	1.6	8.3	85.9	4.3
Mesa Unified School District	AZ	78	—	—	3.6	1.9	20.0	3.2	71.3
Denver County	CO	122	53.4	100.0	1.4	3.4	49.8	21.0	24.4
Brevard County School District	FL	98	24.0	100.0	0.2	1.7	3.9	14.4	79.8
Nashville—Davidson County SD	TN	124	—	—	0.2	3.5	3.4	47.0	45.9
Fulton County School District	GA	65	32.8	100.0	0.1	4.3	4.8	40.4	50.4
Mobile County School District	AL	97	59.4	97.9	0.4	1.5	0.5	49.6	48.0
Columbus City School District	OH	139	56.6	100.0	0.1	2.4	1.2	56.7	39.6
Boston School District	MA	127	72.4	100.0	0.4	9.0	26.2	48.8	15.6
El Paso Independent School District	TX	83	66.6	100.0	0.3	1.2	76.8	4.7	16.9
Tucson Unified District	AZ	118	—	—	4.0	2.4	42.8	6.6	44.2

Table 9. Selected students characteristics as a percentage of school district membership, and percentage of schools for which characteristic is reported, in the 100 largest school districts in the United States[1]: School year 1998–1999 (Continued)

Name of reporting district	State	Schools having membership	Students eligible for free and reduced-price lunch[2]		Racial/ethnic composition of district as a percentage of membership				
			Percentage of reported membership	Percentage of schools reporting	Amer Indian/ Alaskan Native	Asian/ Pacific Islander	Hispanic	Black/ non-Hispanic	White/ non-Hispanic
Northside Independent School District	TX	83	44.5	98.8	0.2	2.2	52.0	6.7	38.0
Guilford County Schools	NC	93	36.9	100.0	0.7	3.6	2.0	40.6	53.1
San Francisco Unified	CA	116	57.0	100.0	0.7	49.9	21.3	16.0	12.2
Atlanta City School District	GA	98	75.0	100.0	—	1.2	2.3	89.9	6.6
Volusia County School District	FL	87	38.7	100.0	0.2	1.0	7.7	16.0	75.1
Davis School District	UT	79	20.4	91.1	0.5	1.7	3.6	1.0	93.1
San Antonio Independent School District	TX	108	65.4	98.1	0.1	0.2	84.7	10.2	4.8
Seminole County School District	FL	63	27.3	98.4	0.2	2.8	11.4	14.4	71.2
Cypress—Fairbanks ISD	TX	52	19.0	100.0	0.2	7.6	20.4	9.4	62.5
Greenville County School District	SC	88	29.7	96.6	0.1	1.3	1.9	26.9	69.9
East Baton Rouge Parish School Board	LA	104	51.1	100.0	—	2.0	0.5	65.8	31.6
Santa Ana Unified	CA	49	75.5	100.0	—	4.5	91.1	1.1	3.2
Arlington Independent School District	TX	68	34.1	98.5	0.6	6.8	20.0	18.9	53.7
Lee County School District	FL	73	43.8	98.6	0.3	1.1	13.3	16.0	69.3
Portland School District 1J	OR	111	37.7	100.0	2.4	8.8	7.1	16.3	65.4
Oakland Unified	CA	88	60.7	100.0	0.5	18.9	24.7	49.5	5.8
Jefferson Parish School Board	LA	83	70.3	100.0	0.6	4.1	6.9	45.1	43.3
Washoe County School District	NV	84	28.4	95.2	2.3	5.3	19.1	3.3	69.9
Knox County School District	TN	82	—	—	0.2	1.4	1.5	13.5	83.4
Sacramento City Unified	CA	76	59.9	100.0	1.5	26.6	24.5	21.6	25.9
Cumberland County Schools	NC	76	50.4	98.7	1.6	1.5	5.1	47.4	44.5
Prince William County Public School	VA	64	21.1	100.0	0.5	3.8	7.8	23.4	64.4
Fort Bend Independent School District	TX	50	20.2	100.0	0.1	14.2	16.7	27.4	41.5
Chesterfield County Public Schools	VA	57	12.5	100.0	0.2	2.7	1.8	20.9	74.4
Cincinnati City School District	OH	78	59.8	100.0	0.1	0.9	0.4	72.2	26.4
Anchorage School District	AK	92	28.8	76.1	11.9	8.7	5.1	8.8	65.6
Aldine Independent School District	TX	56	68.3	100.0	0.1	3.3	47.3	35.7	13.6
Minneapolis	MN	124	57.6	100.0	5.7	14.3	6.5	43.4	30.2
San Bernardino City Unified	CA	61	75.1	100.0	1.3	4.2	52.0	19.7	22.8
Seattle	WA	117	—	—	3.0	24.2	9.3	23.0	40.4
Shelby County School District	TN	46	—	—	0.4	2.1	1.4	23.9	72.2
Garland Independent School District	TX	64	32.7	100.0	0.6	6.0	24.4	16.0	53.0
San Juan Unified	CA	82	33.1	100.0	2.0	6.0	9.2	6.2	76.6
North East Independent School District	TX	63	35.5	100.0	0.2	2.4	36.3	9.5	51.7
Wichita	KS	93	52.5	100.0	2.3	5.6	13.2	23.0	55.9
Ysleta Independent School District	TX	60	46.5	98.3	0.5	0.4	86.8	2.5	9.8
Buffalo City School District	NY	74	65.9	100.0	1.1	1.3	10.8	56.1	30.7
Caddo Parish School Board	LA	73	53.1	100.0	0.1	0.5	0.6	61.7	37.1
Garden Grove Unified	CA	65	58.1	100.0	0.3	30.7	45.8	1.3	21.9
Pasco County School District	FL	49	41.5	98.0	0.2	1.1	6.3	3.7	88.6
St. Louis City	MO	110	76.7	100.0	0.1	1.9	0.8	79.8	17.4
Escambia County School District	FL	83	54.3	100.0	0.6	2.7	1.4	35.8	59.4
St. Paul	MN	124	52.9	97.6	2.0	29.5	8.3	22.8	37.5
Alpine School District	UT	54	24.0	94.4	0.6	1.6	3.9	0.4	93.5
Omaha Public Schools	NE	80	49.6	100.0	1.6	1.4	4.7	31.2	55.9

— Not available.

[1]Includes outlying areas, Bureau of Indian Affairs, and Department of Defense (overseas) schools.

[2] These percentages should be interpreted with caution; six states (AZ, DC, IL, PA, TN, and WA) did not report free and reduced-price lunch eligibility and are not included in the national total. Also, states may not have reported students eligible for reduced-price meals and a number of states reported participation instead of eligibility data which may not be strictly comparable. See Methodology section for further description. Percentages are based on those schools that reported.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Common Core of Data, Public Elementary/Secondary School Universe Survey, 1998–1999, and Local Education Agency Universe Survey, 1998–1999.

Table 10. Revenues by source, current expenditures, and current expenditures per pupil for the 100 largest districts in the United States[1]: Fiscal year 1997

Name of reporting district	State	Total students Fall 1996[2]	Revenues by source				Current expenditures		Current expenditures per pupil
			Total	Federal	State	Local	Total	Instructional[3]	
			(In thousands of dollars)						
Total		**10,634,270**	**$68,853,437**	**$6,939,819**	**$33,008,915**	**$29,904,703**	**$60,112,743**	**$37,647,089**	**$6,853**
New York City Public Schools	NY	1,063,561	8,713,519	868,400	3,693,134	4,151,985	7,885,379	5,603,761	7,414
Los Angeles Unified	CA	667,305	4,388,206	426,866	2,946,433	1,014,907	3,708,915	2,317,762	5,558
Puerto Rico Dept of Education	PR	618,861	1,832,790	519,572	1,312,650	568	1,796,077	1,259,605	2,902
City of Chicago School District 29	IL	421,334	2,774,684	353,312	934,816	1,486,556	2,436,943	1,561,831	5,784
Dade County School District	FL	341,117	2,347,342	177,544	1,225,161	944,637	1,993,752	1,167,934	5,845
Broward County School District	FL	218,608	1,397,478	82,155	697,535	617,788	1,134,883	624,960	5,191
Philadelphia City School District	PA	212,150	1,600,730	175,280	775,718	649,732	1,216,907	742,685	5,736
Houston Independent School District	TX	209,375	1,170,631	110,621	375,808	684,202	1,070,820	623,143	5,114
Hawaii Department of Education	HI	187,653	1,213,792	95,795	1,088,410	29,587	1,083,474	685,225	5,774
Detroit City School District	MI	182,316	1,395,204	148,252	1,059,768	187,184	1,264,099	785,636	6,934
Clark County School District	NV	179,106	1,059,430	42,887	300,300	716,243	878,214	524,258	4,903
Dallas Independent School District	TX	154,847	872,460	88,667	197,979	585,814	795,756	484,936	5,139
Hillsborough County School District	FL	147,826	954,662	88,661	540,066	325,935	771,586	437,615	5,220
Fairfax County Public Schools	VA	143,266	1,181,732	30,042	142,801	1,008,889	1,013,778	610,065	7,076
Palm Beach County School District	FL	137,585	1,000,000	62,340	301,541	636,119	733,778	457,139	5,333
San Diego City Unified	CA	133,687	870,261	67,855	422,151	380,255	726,668	425,393	5,436
Orange County School District	FL	129,143	821,670	47,327	366,585	407,758	646,367	351,256	5,005
Duval County School District	FL	126,118	730,783	51,691	408,047	271,045	595,869	347,568	4,725
Prince Georges County Public School	MD	125,198	866,521	37,964	371,584	456,973	839,915	491,736	6,709
Montgomery County Public Schools	MD	122,505	1,127,857	29,184	242,536	856,137	1,007,395	654,306	8,223
Memphis City School District	TN	111,156	590,892	62,508	247,624	280,760	567,394	353,157	5,104
Baltimore City Public School System	MD	108,759	747,904	97,324	441,143	209,437	728,855	458,418	6,702
Pinellas County School District	FL	107,060	686,961	40,630	319,731	326,600	570,960	342,163	5,333
Baltimore County Public Schools	MD	104,073	766,861	34,551	254,803	477,507	702,967	389,346	6,755
Milwaukee School District	WI	101,007	825,611	87,214	519,549	218,848	766,204	472,063	7,586
Charlotte—Mecklenburg Schools	NC	93,533	557,046	32,132	305,119	219,795	485,634	292,583	5,192
Jefferson (KY) County	KY	91,878	596,101	49,876	279,922	266,303	581,627	360,769	6,330
De Kalb County School District	GA	90,311	562,029	27,226	245,316	289,487	533,448	353,182	5,907
Albuquerque Public Schools	NM	89,092	480,593	31,888	371,000	77,705	406,642	249,424	4,564
Gwinnett County School District	GA	88,855	574,769	12,771	297,323	264,675	496,259	337,970	5,585
Jefferson (CO) County R—1	CO	86,670	502,134	12,944	230,027	259,163	451,645	279,472	5,211
Cobb County School District	GA	85,765	530,730	13,321	256,653	260,756	434,294	292,848	5,064
Wake County Schools	NC	85,735	521,518	19,155	280,625	221,738	411,154	257,814	4,798
Orleans Parish School Board	LA	85,064	425,703	67,153	207,847	150,703	387,657	243,061	4,557
Long Beach Unified	CA	83,038	501,404	57,293	309,012	135,099	413,800	256,120	4,983
District of Columbia Public Schools	DC	78,648	711,625	73,177	--	638,448	632,953	337,401	8,048
Fresno Unified	CA	78,470	469,024	55,513	318,511	95,000	396,078	240,347	5,048
Virginia Beach City Public Schools	VA	76,677	442,796	17,549	175,621	249,626	369,675	240,947	4,821
Granite School District	UT	76,456	318,159	21,015	202,631	94,513	283,340	183,040	3,706
Austin Independent School District	TX	76,054	441,441	31,069	44,113	366,259	379,751	223,618	4,993
Fort Worth Independent School Distri	TX	75,813	429,036	37,349	200,376	191,311	381,365	224,018	5,030
Polk County School District	FL	74,808	426,684	33,647	256,158	136,879	370,610	209,165	4,954
Cleveland City School District	OH	74,026	555,828	68,972	283,530	203,326	540,154	353,202	7,297
Jordan School District	UT	72,748	305,597	13,520	199,059	93,018	261,168	170,642	3,590
Anne Arundel County Public Schools	MD	72,322	508,620	14,793	177,669	316,158	456,307	270,604	6,309
Mesa Unified School District	AZ	70,181	366,752	19,806	187,524	159,422	319,472	201,125	4,552
Nashville—Davidson County SD	TN	69,888	404,252	32,460	135,183	236,609	393,286	245,109	5,627
Brevard County School District	FL	66,663	371,468	20,657	189,339	161,472	312,627	190,118	4,690
Denver County	CO	66,331	440,009	40,506	135,252	264,251	377,720	231,094	5,694
Mobile County School District	AL	64,833	312,137	39,160	210,705	62,272	273,809	167,173	4,223
El Paso Independent School District	TX	64,444	373,428	38,855	190,533	144,040	322,150	200,616	4,999
Columbus City School District	OH	63,894	482,230	45,400	170,080	266,750	411,235	236,901	6,436
Boston School District	MA	63,239	658,094	43,582	216,646	397,866	603,099	392,020	9,537
Tucson Unified District	AZ	62,867	352,867	33,946	159,092	159,829	290,904	166,192	4,627
East Baton Rouge Parish School Boa	LA	61,499	304,991	32,115	146,187	126,689	291,784	172,057	4,745

Table 10. Revenues by source, current expenditures, and current expenditures per pupil for the 100 largest districts in the United States[1]: Fiscal year 1997 (Continued)

Name of reporting district	State	Total students Fall 1996[2]	Revenues by source				Current expenditures		Current expenditures per pupil
			Total	Federal	State	Local	Total	Instructional[3]	
			(In thousands of dollars)						
San Antonio Independent School Dist	TX	61,361	$384,985	$48,426	$229,538	$107,021	$352,494	$214,726	$5,745
San Francisco Unified	CA	61,174	449,377	31,902	147,825	269,650	346,722	230,275	5,668
Atlanta City School District	GA	60,064	514,912	43,459	174,388	297,065	429,211	248,015	7,146
Fulton County School District	GA	59,953	456,275	15,041	158,692	282,542	364,078	216,633	6,073
Northside Independent School District	TX	59,284	338,800	18,827	147,750	172,223	294,963	187,932	4,975
Davis School District	UT	59,220	255,684	13,756	171,969	69,959	217,000	137,208	3,664
Guilford County Schools	NC	58,736	347,914	18,900	205,031	123,983	319,010	190,527	5,431
Volusia County School District	FL	58,004	352,600	20,318	169,780	162,502	285,289	167,288	4,918
Portland School District 1J	OR	56,856	412,886	35,788	178,273	198,845	412,253	238,847	7,251
Seminole County School District	FL	55,972	316,304	12,001	163,865	140,438	259,702	156,397	4,640
Greenville County School District	SC	55,893	320,367	17,588	169,211	133,568	265,849	159,296	4,756
Jefferson Parish School Board	LA	55,876	323,070	32,249	130,347	160,474	281,234	173,002	5,033
Oakland Unified	CA	53,462	404,878	33,680	260,353	110,845	289,223	170,083	5,410
Arlington Independent School District	TX	53,343	262,440	6,337	75,502	180,601	231,956	152,752	4,348
Cypress—Fairbanks ISD	TX	52,930	299,837	8,072	95,915	195,850	253,836	156,723	4,796
Lee County School District	FL	52,317	366,127	23,732	120,709	221,686	296,804	164,108	5,673
Santa Ana Unified	CA	52,107	276,248	25,091	162,202	88,955	255,218	161,575	4,898
Sacramento City Unified	CA	51,240	309,122	35,373	189,619	84,130	253,607	164,746	4,949
Knox County School District	TN	51,224	254,557	11,148	103,966	139,443	246,170	165,138	4,806
Cumberland County Schools	NC	51,035	247,706	22,619	165,492	59,595	229,493	141,511	4,497
Cincinnati City School District	OH	50,396	404,115	43,795	142,678	217,642	333,736	209,793	6,622
Chesterfield Cnty Public Schools	VA	49,781	288,227	8,867	101,989	177,371	246,393	155,786	4,950
Washoe County School District	NV	49,671	281,021	10,779	72,904	197,338	246,159	152,062	4,956
Caddo Parish School Board	LA	49,577	246,958	28,218	129,290	89,450	233,309	141,937	4,706
Prince William County Public School	VA	48,333	326,604	9,249	106,212	211,143	282,663	168,797	5,848
Anchorage School District	AK	48,109	323,849	26,582	199,314	97,953	307,429	195,500	6,390
Minneapolis	MN	47,978	460,337	32,135	217,729	210,473	402,607	262,087	8,391
Buffalo City School District	NY	47,845	455,783	51,626	304,509	99,648	415,153	273,089	8,677
San Juan Unified	CA	47,819	294,928	18,815	192,441	83,672	245,122	151,027	5,126
Seattle	WA	47,629	385,257	25,757	208,109	151,391	318,064	175,377	6,678
Ysleta Independent School District	TX	47,366	274,873	25,900	177,558	71,415	232,683	142,892	4,912
Aldine Independent School District	TX	47,242	281,624	22,317	155,445	103,862	246,432	157,311	5,216
Fort Bend Independent School Distric	TX	46,881	256,316	6,605	109,489	140,222	211,038	125,248	4,502
Shelby County School District	TN	46,454	207,287	8,687	99,018	99,582	190,128	128,975	4,093
Wichita	KS	46,391	278,407	21,982	152,596	103,829	255,702	151,194	5,512
San Bernardino City Unified	CA	46,309	285,016	24,138	218,738	42,140	240,049	137,999	5,184
Escambia County School District	FL	45,744	265,576	26,775	167,911	70,890	232,412	127,986	5,081
North East Independent School Distri	TX	45,184	273,655	14,398	68,067	191,190	236,025	146,885	5,224
Newark City School District	NJ	44,981	585,926	40,851	441,547	103,530	520,772	316,944	11,578
Garland Independent School District	TX	44,869	241,300	10,721	113,500	117,079	198,169	126,376	4,417
Omaha Public Schools	NE	44,761	291,419	24,794	97,141	169,484	238,987	141,611	5,339
Garden Grove Unified	CA	44,661	242,144	20,189	138,311	83,644	221,672	140,364	4,963
St. Louis City	MO	44,620	385,870	40,115	177,626	168,129	325,969	173,491	7,305
Indianapolis Public Schools	IN	44,434	397,233	31,724	218,417	147,092	331,264	192,194	7,455
St. Paul	MN	43,766	360,575	27,021	211,023	122,531	310,072	204,789	7,085

— Not applicable.

[1] Includes outlying areas.

[2] In a few cases, the student membership received from the fiscal district varies slightly from the student membership received from the non-fiscal collection.

[3] Instructional expenditures are current expenditures for activities directly associated with the interaction between teachers and students. These include teacher salaries and benefits, supplies (such as textbooks), and purchased instructional services.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, 1997 Annual Survey of Local Government Finances: School Systems. Data for Puerto Rico were obtained from the U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Common Core of Data, National Public Education Financial Survey, 1997–98.

Table 11. Percentage of staff types in public elementary and secondary schools in the 100 largest school districts in the United States[1]: School year 1998–1999

Name of reporting district	State	Total Staff	Percent of full-time equivalent (FTE) staff, by type						
			Teachers	Instructional Support	Guidance Counselors	Library Media Staff	LEA Administrators	School Administrators	Other Staff
New York City Public Schools	NY	115,402	54.5	0.5	1.5	0.6	0.5	2.2	40.1
Los Angeles Unified	CA	60,515	54.6	12.5	1.2	0.1	0.5	1.7	29.3
Puerto Rico Dept of Education	PR	69,067	57.7	0.8	1.3	1.6	1.9	1.9	34.8
City of Chicago School District 29	IL	[2]28,292	83.2	3.6	2.9	1.7	1.5	3.0	4.1
Dade County School District	FL	33,964	51.9	10.7	2.7	1.7	0.7	2.4	30.0
Broward County School District	FL	21,603	51.6	8.2	2.0	1.2	0.3	2.6	34.1
Houston Independent School District	TX	22,853	51.1	9.5	1.3	1.0	0.2	2.4	34.5
Philadelphia City School District	PA	23,563	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Clark County School District	NV	17,624	57.1	7.1	2.2	1.8	0.6	3.1	28.2
Hawaii Department of Education	HI	17,354	61.3	8.3	3.3	2.1	0.8	2.8	21.4
Detroit City School District	MI	21,101	41.3	7.8	1.6	0.6	1.2	4.0	43.5
Dallas Independent School District	TX	17,127	51.4	9.1	1.9	1.2	0.2	2.8	33.3
Hillsborough County School District	FL	18,855	49.7	9.9	2.0	1.1	0.4	2.4	34.5
Fairfax County Public Schools	VA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Palm Beach County School District	FL	16,112	48.9	12.5	1.8	0.9	0.3	2.5	33.2
Orange County School District	FL	16,956	47.3	10.1	1.7	0.6	0.3	1.9	38.0
San Diego City Unified	CA	13,146	52.8	11.6	1.9	0.4	0.5	2.4	30.4
Prince Georges County Public Schools	MD	14,946	51.0	7.2	2.0	1.1	0.6	3.8	34.3
Montgomery County Public Schools	MD	15,400	50.5	8.8	2.2	2.4	0.6	2.4	33.2
Duval County School District	FL	11,858	55.7	12.1	1.8	2.3	0.8	2.6	24.8
Memphis City School District	TN	11,623	59.1	7.0	2.0	1.3	1.5	3.1	25.9
Pinellas County School District	FL	13,156	46.8	14.0	1.8	1.2	0.4	2.5	33.3
Baltimore City Public School System	MD	11,090	54.1	9.5	1.5	0.7	2.0	6.9	25.2
Baltimore County Public Schools	MD	12,167	53.7	7.5	2.1	1.5	0.5	3.4	31.3
Jefferson (KY) County	KY	12,744	41.5	19.8	1.6	1.6	0.6	1.9	33.0
Milwaukee School District	WI	11,470	51.0	20.2	1.3	1.0	0.5	3.2	22.8
Gwinnett County School District	GA	10,921	54.8	10.3	1.8	1.6	0.3	2.5	28.7
Charlotte—Mecklenburg Schools	NC	12,430	51.2	16.4	1.9	1.2	0.5	3.4	25.2
De Kalb County School District	GA	11,519	50.2	13.5	1.9	2.1	0.4	2.1	29.9
Wake County Schools	NC	10,970	51.8	16.3	2.0	1.3	0.2	2.4	26.0
Cobb County School District	GA	10,195	54.9	8.9	1.9	1.8	0.7	2.6	29.2
Long Beach Unified	CA	8,144	46.0	15.5	1.7	0.7	0.4	1.8	33.9
Jefferson (CO) County R—1	CO	9,017	47.5	12.8	1.4	1.8	0.5	2.7	33.2
Albuquerque Public Schools	NM	11,225	47.0	16.0	1.7	3.9	1.6	1.9	28.0
Orleans Parish School Board	LA	8,574	52.2	8.9	3.0	1.1	0.5	2.0	32.3
Austin Independent School District	TX	9,157	53.0	6.8	2.0	1.1	0.1	2.7	34.4
Fresno Unified	CA	6,995	54.2	16.7	1.0	0.3	0.1	1.3	26.4
Fort Worth Independent School District	TX	8,914	49.5	8.7	2.0	1.0	0.1	3.1	35.5
Virginia Beach City Public Schools	VA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Polk County School District	FL	9,248	47.7	12.3	1.8	1.6	0.4	2.4	33.8
Cleveland City School District	OH	8,463	54.6	5.7	1.1	1.3	1.8	2.5	33.0
Anne Arundel County Public Schools	MD	7,275	56.9	6.1	2.5	2.4	0.4	3.6	28.1
Granite School District	UT	5,467	59.8	8.7	2.0	1.5	0.1	2.6	25.3
Jordan School District	UT	5,395	57.2	13.1	1.9	1.7	0.1	2.2	23.7
District of Columbia Public Schools	DC	9,840	52.7	5.2	2.5	1.4	0.5	2.8	35.1
Mesa Unified School District	AZ	6,834	50.2	14.6	1.3	2.1	0.3	1.6	30.0
Denver County	CO	7,116	47.6	18.9	0.9	1.0	0.4	2.5	28.6
Brevard County School District	FL	7,248	51.8	7.4	2.0	1.9	0.4	2.2	34.5
Nashville—Davidson County SD	TN	8,719	55.3	8.3	1.2	1.3	1.1	3.7	29.1
Fulton County School District	GA	8,227	51.5	11.6	1.9	1.7	0.4	2.4	30.5
Mobile County School District	AL	7,405	54.0	8.6	2.0	1.4	0.4	2.4	31.3
Columbus City School District	OH	7,506	49.7	8.6	0.8	2.8	1.2	3.0	34.0
Boston School District	MA	8,889	47.1	13.5	1.0	0.3	0.5	1.3	36.3
El Paso Independent School District	TX	7,786	51.2	4.3	1.9	1.1	0.3	2.6	38.6
Tucson Unified District	AZ	6,970	49.5	11.3	2.1	1.5	0.1	2.5	33.0

Table 11. Percentage of staff types in public elementary and secondary schools in the 100 largest school districts in the United States[1]: School year 1998–1999 (Continued)

Name of reporting district	State	Total Staff	Percent of full-time equivalent (FTE) staff, by type						
			Teachers	Instructional Support	Guidance Counselors	Library Media Staff	LEA Administrators	School Administrators	Other Staff
Northside Independent School District	TX	7,820	50.9	12.7	2.4	0.8	0.3	2.2	30.7
Guilford County Schools	NC	7,473	50.6	17.1	2.5	1.5	0.5	2.5	25.3
San Francisco Unified	CA	[2]3,792	82.3	1.0	2.7	0.7	0.5	4.7	8.0
Atlanta City School District	GA	7,517	51.9	14.0	1.4	1.4	1.6	2.5	27.2
Volusia County School District	FL	7,746	46.1	14.2	2.0	1.0	0.4	2.6	33.7
Davis School District	UT	4,952	51.2	16.0	1.5	1.4	0.1	2.4	27.3
San Antonio Independent School District	TX	7,831	47.7	10.2	1.9	0.9	0.2	2.0	37.1
Seminole County School District	FL	5,910	51.6	6.8	2.0	1.5	0.4	2.7	33.0
Cypress—Fairbanks ISD	TX	7,004	51.7	10.5	1.7	0.8	0.2	2.8	32.4
Greenville County School District	SC	4,128	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
East Baton Rouge Parish School Board	LA	7,257	49.8	8.0	4.0	1.8	0.1	2.4	33.8
Santa Ana Unified	CA	4,646	52.5	13.0	0.8	0.1	0.3	2.2	31.1
Arlington Independent School District	TX	6,175	55.2	6.8	1.7	1.0	0.1	2.5	32.7
Lee County School District	FL	6,169	49.6	8.9	2.1	1.6	0.6	2.1	35.1
Portland School District 1J	OR	5,500	52.3	10.5	2.4	1.7	2.0	3.0	28.1
Oakland Unified	CA	5,498	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Jefferson Parish School Board	LA	7,221	47.5	14.4	3.1	0.7	0.1	2.6	31.5
Washoe County School District	NV	5,216	56.9	8.7	2.6	1.8	1.0	2.4	26.6
Knox County School District	TN	6,594	55.2	11.4	1.2	1.3	4.3	4.9	21.6
Sacramento City Unified	CA	4,464	51.4	11.1	0.4	0.3	0.3	1.8	34.6
Cumberland County Schools	NC	5,948	51.6	17.6	2.1	1.7	0.1	3.1	23.8
Prince William County Public School	VA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fort Bend Independent School District	TX	5,682	53.7	7.2	1.7	1.0	0.3	2.3	33.8
Chesterfield County Public Schools	VA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cincinnati City School District	OH	5,856	54.3	16.5	0.4	1.3	1.8	2.2	23.4
Anchorage School District	AK	5,176	54.5	9.3	1.5	1.7	1.8	5.7	25.4
Aldine Independent School District	TX	6,737	49.3	15.0	1.9	0.8	0.3	2.8	29.9
Minneapolis	MN	6,069	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
San Bernardino City Unified	CA	4,159	53.8	13.6	2.0	0.3	0.2	3.0	27.1
Seattle	WA	4,688	52.0	10.2	1.7	2.0	0.5	3.2	30.4
Shelby County School District	TN	4,874	55.0	7.9	1.6	1.2	2.4	2.7	29.1
Garland Independent School District	TX	5,297	53.5	6.3	2.2	1.2	0.2	2.6	33.9
San Juan Unified	CA	4,436	50.7	9.7	1.1	0.1	0.1	2.8	35.6
North East Independent School District	TX	5,964	52.2	9.8	2.1	0.9	0.2	2.4	32.3
Wichita	KS	5,424	52.5	10.5	1.4	1.4	0.7	2.8	30.7
Ysleta Independent School District	TX	5,859	52.1	5.4	1.3	0.8	0.1	2.4	38.0
Buffalo City School District	NY	5,980	54.7	17.7	1.4	0.9	0.4	2.4	22.4
Caddo Parish School Board	LA	6,578	45.0	12.5	3.6	1.7	0.2	2.2	34.8
Garden Grove Unified	CA	3,813	54.4	14.6	0.8	0.3	0.2	2.3	27.4
Pasco County School District	FL	6,001	43.7	11.3	2.1	1.2	0.6	2.0	39.1
St. Louis City	MO	6,844	50.1	11.7	1.9	1.3	0.3	2.4	32.3
Escambia County School District	FL	5,175	49.8	10.3	1.9	1.3	0.7	2.0	34.0
St. Paul	MN	5,687	39.5	30.6	0.2	1.0	0.1	2.1	26.5
Alpine School District	UT	2,826	67.7	5.4	2.3	2.1	0.2	2.7	19.7
Omaha Public Schools	NE	5,403	53.4	13.2	2.4	1.7	1.1	2.5	25.7

— Data not available or not applicable

[1] Includes outlying areas, Bureau of Indian Affairs, and Department of Defense (overseas) schools.

[2] The non-teaching staff categories may be underrepresented.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Common Core of Data, Public Elementary/Secondary School Universe Survey, 1998–1999, and Local Education Agency Universe Survey, 1998–1999.

Table 12. Number and percentage of public elementary and secondary schools and students participating in Title I schools and programs in the 100 largest districts in the United States[1]: School year 1998–1999

Name of reporting district	State	Number of Title I eligible schools[2]	Percentage of Title I eligible schools	Percentage of students in Title I eligible schools	Number of Title I school-wide schools	Percentage of Title I school-wide programs	Percentage of total students in these schools
New York City Public Schools	NY	—	—	—	—	—	—
Los Angeles Unified	CA	452	69.5	73.8	—	—	—
Puerto Rico Dept of Education	PR	—	—	—	—	—	—
City of Chicago School District 29	IL	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dade County School District	FL	114	35.4	31.1	114	35.4	31.1
Broward County School District	FL	71	31.1	29.4	71	31.1	29.4
Houston Independent School District	TX	181	61.1	58.3	181	61.1	58.3
Philadelphia City School District	PA	—	—	—	—	—	—
Clark County School District	NV	35	15.4	14.1	29	12.7	11.6
Hawaii Department of Education	HI	139	54.9	47.5	121	47.8	41
Detroit City School District	MI	—	—	—	—	—	
Dallas Independent School District	TX	189	84.8	94.2	185	83.0	92
Hillsborough County School District	FL	56	28.4	25.0	56	28.4	25.0
Fairfax County Public Schools	VA	33	16.1	12.1	9	4.4	3.4
Palm Beach County School District	FL	37	23.1	21.2	37	23.1	21.2
Orange County School District	FL	33	19.3	15.6	33	19.3	15.6
San Diego City Unified	CA	126	72.4	76.3	—	—	—
Prince Georges County Public Schools	MD	59	31.6	26.6	59	31.6	26.6
Montgomery County Public Schools	MD	21	11.2	9.1	4	2.1	1.8
Duval County School District	FL	68	39.3	29.5	68	39.3	29.5
Memphis City School District	TN	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pinellas County School District	FL	38	24.8	22.5	38	24.8	22.5
Baltimore City Public School System	MD	142	78.0	79.1	133	73.1	75.5
Baltimore County Public Schools	MD	25	15.6	12.8	25	15.6	12.8
Jefferson (KY) County	KY	79	50.3	45.9	79	50.3	45.9
Milwaukee School District	WI	145	71.1	89.6	141	69.1	87
Gwinnett County School District	GA	18	22.5	21.6	1	1.3	1.5
Charlotte—Mecklenburg Schools	NC	7	5.2	3.5	7	5.2	3.5
De Kalb County School District	GA	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wake County Schools	NC	43	40.6	31.0	0	0.0	0.0
Cobb County School District	GA	17	18.3	10.9	10	10.8	6.4
Long Beach Unified	CA	69	80.2	69.3	—	—	—
Jefferson (CO) County R—1	CO	—	—	—	—	—	—
Albuquerque Public Schools	NM	72	57.6	44.9	19	15.2	9.8
Orleans Parish School Board	LA	81	66.4	62.3	2	1.6	1.4
Austin Independent School District	TX	50	49.0	41.9	50	49.0	41.9
Fresno Unified	CA	78	85.7	88.0	—	—	—
Fort Worth Independent School District	TX	57	41.9	48.2	57	41.9	48.2
Virginia Beach City Public Schools	VA	—	—	—	—	—	—
Polk County School District	FL	29	22.0	22.9	29	22.0	22.9
Cleveland City School District	OH	109	89.3	88.8	85	69.7	68.4
Anne Arundel County Public Schools	MD	20	17.2	11.3	4	3.4	2.2
Granite School District	UT	—	—	—	—	—	—
Jordan School District	UT	1	1.3	0.9	1	1.3	0.9
District of Columbia Public Schools	DC	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mesa Unified School District	AZ	—	—	—	—	—	—
Denver County	CO	—	—	—	—	—	—
Brevard County School District	FL	29	29.6	29.6	26	26.5	25.7
Nashville—Davidson County SD	TN	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fulton County School District	GA	21	32.3	26.0	18	27.7	22.7
Mobile County School District	AL	—	—	—	—	—	—
Columbus City School District	OH	115	82.7	77.5	56	40.3	35.8
Boston School District	MA	122	96.1	97.8	—	—	—
El Paso Independent School District	TX	67	80.7	74.9	67	80.7	74.9
Tucson Unified District	AZ	—	—	—	—	—	—

Table 12. Number and percentage of public elementary and secondary schools and students participating in Title I schools and programs in the 100 largest districts in the United States[1]: School year 1998–1999 (Continued)

Name of reporting district	State	Number of Title I eligible schools[2]	Percentage of Title I eligible schools	Percentage of students in Title I eligible schools	Number of Title I school-wide schools	Percentage of Title I school-wide programs	Percentage of total students in these schools
Northside Independent School District	TX	24	28.9	28.9	23	27.7	27.2
Guilford County Schools	NC	41	44.1	31.1	23	24.7	17.3
San Francisco Unified	CA	64	55.2	42.8	—	—	—
Atlanta City School District	GA	90	91.8	91.9	88	89.8	89.2
Volusia County School District	FL	31	35.6	33.1	26	29.9	28.6
Davis School District	UT	1	1.3	0.9	—	—	—
San Antonio Independent School District	TX	89	82.4	83.3	89	82.4	83.3
Seminole County School District	FL	13	20.6	18.1	1	1.6	0.8
Cypress—Fairbanks ISD	TX	11	21.2	17.9	6	11.5	10.0
Greenville County School District	SC	16	18.2	11.3	16	18.2	11.3
East Baton Rouge Parish School Board	LA	59	56.7	49.3	3	2.9	3.4
Santa Ana Unified	CA	40	81.6	84.6	—	—	—
Arlington Independent School District	TX	19	27.9	23.5	19	27.9	23.5
Lee County School District	FL	11	15.1	14.5	11	15.1	14.5
Portland School District 1J	OR	64	57.7	61.6	20	18.0	18.6
Oakland Unified	CA	45	51.1	48.9	—	—	—
Jefferson Parish School Board	LA	40	48.2	40.8	—	—	—
Washoe County School District	NV	22	26.2	24.1	21	25.0	22.8
Knox County School District	TN	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sacramento City Unified	CA	36	47.4	39.4	—	—	—
Cumberland County Schools	NC	57	75.0	61.5	54	71.1	60.1
Prince William County Public School	VA	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fort Bend Independent School District	TX	14	28.0	20.9	9	18.0	13.4
Chesterfield County Public Schools	VA	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cincinnati City School District	OH	73	93.6	84.3	60	76.9	68.3
Anchorage School District	AK	—	—	—	—	—	—
Aldine Independent School District	TX	53	94.6	97.8	53	94.6	97.8
Minneapolis	MN	—	—	—	—	—	—
San Bernardino City Unified	CA	55	90.2	98.8	—	—	—
Seattle	WA	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shelby County School District	TN	—	—	—	—	—	—
Garland Independent School District	TX	28	43.8	30.7	28	43.8	30.7
San Juan Unified	CA	30	36.6	30.1	—	—	—
North East Independent School District	TX	18	28.6	24.3	18	28.6	24.3
Wichita	KS	18	19.4	18.1	—	—	—
Ysleta Independent School District	TX	57	95.0	99.9	57	95.0	99.9
Buffalo City School District	NY	—	—	—	—	—	—
Caddo Parish School Board	LA	33	45.2	31.8	—	—	—
Garden Grove Unified	CA	36	55.4	57.4	—	—	—
Pasco County School District	FL	12	24.5	20.6	7	14.3	9.9
St. Louis City	MO	89	80.9	80.3	87	79.1	76.1
Escambia County School District	FL	26	31.3	31.6	26	31.3	31.6
St. Paul	MN	—	—	—	—	—	—
Alpine School District	UT	—	—	—	—	—	—
Omaha Public Schools	NE	73	91.3	97.5	27	33.8	30.6

— Less than 70 percent of schools reported data; symbol does not distinguish states with missing data from those who reported 0 or those that do not operate that type of school.

[1] Includes outlying areas, Bureau of Indian Affairs, and Department of Defense (overseas) schools.

[2] Number of Title I eligible schools includes those with and without school-wide Title I programs.

Note: Title I schools and school-wide programs are new CCD data item in the 1998-1999 school year. In this first year of collection, this data item was voluntary so not all states reported this data. Title I schools and school-wide programs are defined in the following way on the CCD:
Title I school—A school designated under appropriate state and federal regulations as being high poverty and eligible for participation in programs authorized by Title I of Public Law 103-382.
Title I school-wide—A program in which all the students in a school are designated under appropriate state and federal regulations as being high poverty and eligible for participation in programs authorized by Title I of Public Law 103-382.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Common Core of Data, Public Elementary/Secondary School Universe Survey, 1998–1999.

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Table 13. Number and percentage of public elementary and secondary schools and students in magnet and charter schools in the 100 largest school districts in the United States*: School year 1998-1999

Name of reporting district	State	Number of magnet schools	Percentage of magnet schools	Percentage of students in magnet schools	Number of charter schools	Percentage of charter schools	Percentage of total students in charter schools
New York City Public Schools	NY	—	—	—	—	—	—
Los Angeles Unified	CA	116	17.8	30.1	15	2.3	1.6
Puerto Rico Dept of Education	PR	—	—	—	—	—	—
City of Chicago School District 29	IL	249	42.2	46.3	10	1.7	0.7
Dade County School District	FL	—	—	—	6	1.9	0.2
Broward County School District	FL	—	—	—	6	2.6	0.6
Houston Independent School District	TX	—	—	—	0	0.0	0.0
Philadelphia City School District	PA	—	—	—	—	—	—
Clark County School District	NV	6	2.6	2.0	0	0.0	0.0
Hawaii Department of Education	HI	0	0.0	0.0	2	0.8	0.4
Detroit City School District	MI	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dallas Independent School District	TX	—	—	—	0	0.0	0.0
Hillsborough County School District	FL	—	—	—	7	3.6	0.5
Fairfax County Public Schools	VA	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Palm Beach County School District	FL	—	—	—	2	1.3	—
Orange County School District	FL	—	—	—	4	2.3	0.3
San Diego City Unified	CA	45	25.9	30.7	7	4.0	3.0
Prince Georges County Public Schools	MD	—	—	—	—	—	—
Montgomery County Public Schools	MD	—	—	—	—	—	—
Duval County School District	FL	—	—	—	4	2.3	0.7
Memphis City School District	TN	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Pinellas County School District	FL	—	—	—	1	0.7	0.1
Baltimore City Public School System	MD	—	—	—	—	—	—
Baltimore County Public Schools	MD	—	—	—	—	—	—
Jefferson (KY) County	KY	—	—	—	—	—	—
Milwaukee School District	WI	—	—	—	0	0.0	0.0
Gwinnett County School District	GA	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Charlotte—Mecklenburg Schools	NC	38	28.4	26.0	0	0.0	0.0
De Kalb County School District	GA	1	0.9	0.5	0	0.0	0.0
Wake County Schools	NC	24	22.6	18.5	0	0.0	0.0
Cobb County School District	GA	2	2.2	3.8	0	0.0	0.0
Long Beach Unified	CA	41	47.7	49.0	2	2.3	1.2
Jefferson (CO) County R—1	CO	—	—	—	—	—	—
Albuquerque Public Schools	NM	0	0.0	0.0	3	2.4	4.6
Orleans Parish School Board	LA	7	5.7	6.4	1	0.8	0.4
Austin Independent School District	TX	—	—	—	0	0.0	0.0
Fresno Unified	CA	11	12.1	18.0	1	1.1	0.2
Fort Worth Independent School District	TX	—	—	—	0	0.0	0.0
Virginia Beach City Public Schools	VA	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Polk County School District	FL	—	—	—	5	3.8	1.5
Cleveland City School District	OH	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Anne Arundel County Public Schools	MD	—	—	—	—	—	—
Granite School District	UT	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Jordan School District	UT	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
District of Columbia Public Schools	DC	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mesa Unified School District	AZ	—	—	—	—	—	—
Denver County	CO	—	—	—	—	—	—
Brevard County School District	FL	—	—	—	4	4.1	0.4
Nashville—Davidson County SD	TN	6	4.8	5.9	0	0.0	0.0
Fulton County School District	GA	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Mobile County School District	AL	—	—	—	—	—	—
Columbus City School District	OH	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Boston School District	MA	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
El Paso Independent School District	TX	—	—	—	0	0.0	0.0
Tucson Unified District	AZ	—	—	—	—	—	—

Table 13. Number and percentage of public elementary and secondary schools and students in magnet and charter schools in the 100 largest school districts in the United States*: School year 1998-1999 (Continued)

Name of reporting district	State	Number of magnet schools	Percentage of magnet schools	Percentage of students in magnet schools	Number of charter schools	Percentage of charter schools	Percentage of total students in charter schools
Northside Independent School District	TX	—	—	—	0	0.0	0.0
Guilford County Schools	NC	15	16.1	14.0	0	0.0	0.0
San Francisco Unified	CA	21	18.1	21.3	5	4.3	1.4
Atlanta City School District	GA	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Volusia County School District	FL	—	—	—	2	2.3	0.4
Davis School District	UT	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
San Antonio Independent School District	TX	—	—	—	0	0.0	0.0
Seminole County School District	FL	—	—	—	2	3.2	0.4
Cypress—Fairbanks ISD	TX	—	—	—	0	0.0	0.0
Greenville County School District	SC	—	—	—	1	1.1	—
East Baton Rouge Parish School Board	LA	27	26.0	28.6	3	2.9	0.5
Santa Ana Unified	CA	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Arlington Independent School District	TX	—	—	—	0	0.0	0.0
Lee County School District	FL	—	—	—	0	0.0	0.0
Portland School District 1J	OR	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Oakland Unified	CA	7	8.0	21.1	2	2.3	0.4
Jefferson Parish School Board	LA	0	0.0	0.0	1	1.2	0.1
Washoe County School District	NV	1	1.2	0.3	1	1.2	0.3
Knox County School District	TN	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Sacramento City Unified	CA	0	0.0	0.0	1	1.3	1.4
Cumberland County Schools	NC	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Prince William County Public School	VA	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Fort Bend Independent School District	TX	—	—	—	0	0.0	0.0
Chesterfield County Public Schools	VA	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Cincinnati City School District	OH	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Anchorage School District	AK	0	0.0	0.0	4	4.3	1.6
Aldine Independent School District	TX	—	—	—	0	0.0	0.0
Minneapolis	MN	—	—	—	—	—	—
San Bernardino City Unified	CA	31	50.8	44.5	0	0.0	0.0
Seattle	WA	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shelby County School District	TN	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Garland Independent School District	TX	—	—	—	0	0.0	0.0
San Juan Unified	CA	1	1.2	1.9	1	1.2	1.2
North East Independent School District	TX	—	—	—	0	0.0	0.0
Wichita	KS	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Ysleta Independent School District	TX	—	—	—	0	0.0	0.0
Buffalo City School District	NY	—	—	—	—	—	—
Caddo Parish School Board	LA	16	21.9	31.1	0	0.0	0.0
Garden Grove Unified	CA	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Pasco County School District	FL	—	—	—	0	0.0	0.0
St. Louis City	MO	28	25.5	29.3	0	0.0	0.0
Escambia County School District	FL	—	—	—	2	2.4	0.5
St. Paul	MN	—	—	—	—	—	—
Alpine School District	UT	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Omaha Public Schools	NE	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0

— Less than 70 percent of schools reported data; symbol does not distinguish states with missing data from those that do not operate that type of school.

* Includes outlying areas, Bureau of Indian Affairs, and Department of Defense (overseas) schools.

Note: Magnet and charter schools are new CCD data item in the 1998-1999 school year. In this first year of collection, this data item was voluntary so not all states reported this data.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Common Core of Data, Public Elementary/Secondary School Universe Survey, 1998-1999.

Table 14. Number and percentage of public elementary and secondary migrant and LEP students in the 100 largest districts in the United States[1]: School year 1998-1999

Name of reporting district	State	Number of students receiving migrant services[2]	Percentage of students receiving migrant services	Number of students receiving summer migrant services[3]	Percentage of students receiving summer migrant services	Number of students served in LEP programs[4]	Percentage of students served in LEP programs
New York City Public Schools	NY	—	—	—	—	—	—
Los Angeles Unified	CA	2,345	0.3	1,833	0.3	312,471	44.9
Puerto Rico Dept of Education	PR	—	—	—	—	—	—
City of Chicago School District 299	IL	—	—	—	—	67,018	15.6
Dade County School District	FL	1,331	0.4	405	0.1	49,829	14.1
Broward County School District	FL	708	0.3	261	0.1	19,914	8.6
Houston Independent School District	TX	1,268	0.6	—	—	52,729	25.1
Philadelphia City School District	PA	—	—	—	—	—	—
Clark County School District	NV	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hawaii Department of Education	HI	—	—	—	—	12,897	6.9
Detroit City School District	MI	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dallas Independent School District	TX	879	0.5	—	—	52,305	32.7
Hillsborough County School District	FL	3,422	2.2	1,685	1.1	16,043	10.3
Fairfax County Public Schools	VA	—	—	—	—	12,213	8.2
Palm Beach County School District	FL	6,570	4.5	1,265	0.9	17,469	11.9
Orange County School District	FL	760	0.5	345	0.2	10,535	7.6
San Diego City Unified	CA	226	0.2	146	0.1	38,542	27.8
Prince Georges County Public Schools	MD	—	—	—	—	4,736	3.6
Montgomery County Public Schools	MD	—	—	—	—	7,987	6.2
Duval County School District	FL	40	(5)	5	(5)	1,674	1.3
Memphis City School District	TN	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pinellas County School District	FL	0	0.0	—	—	2,043	1.8
Baltimore City Public School System	MD	—	—	—	—	564	0.5
Baltimore County Public Schools	MD	—	—	—	—	1,306	1.2
Jefferson (KY) County	KY	—	—	—	—	—	—
Milwaukee School District	WI	—	—	—	—	—	—
Gwinnett County School District	GA	0	0.0	—	—	4,833	4.9
Charlotte—Mecklenburg Schools	NC	—	—	—	—	2,649	2.7
De Kalb County School District	GA	0	0.0	—	—	—	—
Wake County Schools	NC	—	—	378	0.4	1,967	2.1
Cobb County School District	GA	1	(5)	—	—	1,604	1.8
Long Beach Unified	CA	1,398	1.6	1,637	1.8	31,263	35.0
Jefferson (CO) County R—1	CO	—	—	—	—	—	—
Albuquerque Public Schools	NM	—	—	9	(5)	—	—
Orleans Parish School Board	LA	195	0.2	103	0.1	—	—
Austin Independent School District	TX	281	0.4	—	—	10,732	13.5
Fresno Unified	CA	8,983	11.4	5,155	6.5	25,530	32.3
Fort Worth Independent School District	TX	75	0.1	—	—	19,398	24.9
Virginia Beach City Public Schools	VA	—	—	—	—	731	0.9
Polk County School District	FL	2,665	3.4	348	0.4	2,745	3.6
Cleveland City School District	OH	—	—	—	—	3	(5)
Anne Arundel County Public Schools	MD	—	—	—	—	497	0.7
Granite School District	UT	—	—	—	—	8,613	11.7
Jordan School District	UT	—	—	118	0.2	4,418	6.0
District of Columbia Public Schools	DC	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mesa Unified School District	AZ	—	—	—	—	—	—
Denver County	CO	—	—	—	—	—	—
Brevard County School District	FL	37	0.1	2	(5)	729	1.1
Nashville—Davidson County SD	TN	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fulton County School District	GA	2	(5)	—	—	1,352	2.1
Mobile County School District	AL	—	—	—	—	1,100	1.7
Columbus City School District	OH	—	—	—	—	1	(5)
Boston School District	MA	0	0.0	—	—	22,435	35.6
El Paso Independent School District	TX	1,414	2.2	—	—	19,853	31.5
Tucson Unified District	AZ	—	—	—	—	—	—

Table 14. Number and percentage of public elementary and secondary migrant and LEP students in the 100 largest districts in the United States[1]: School year 1998-1999 (Continued)

Name of reporting district	State	Number of students receiving migrant services[2]	Percentage of students receiving migrant services	Number of students receiving summer migrant services[3]	Percentage of students receiving summer migrant services	Number of students served in LEP programs[4]	Percentage of students served in LEP programs
Northside Independent School District	TX	193	0.3	—	—	3,135	5.1
Guilford County Schools	NC	—	—	—	—	1,983	3.2
San Francisco Unified	CA	42	0.1	21	(5)	18,878	30.9
Atlanta City School District	GA	3	(5)	—	—	1,277	2.1
Volusia County School District	FL	1,213	2.0	490	0.8	1,400	2.3
Davis School District	UT	—	—	126	0.2	3,495	5.9
San Antonio Independent School District	TX	1,175	2.0	—	—	9,806	16.6
Seminole County School District	FL	261	0.4	102	0.2	1,329	2.3
Cypress—Fairbanks ISD	TX	34	0.1	—	—	5,809	10.0
Greenville County School District	SC	—	—	—	—	242	0.4
East Baton Rouge Parish School Board	LA	9	(5)	—	—	—	—
Santa Ana Unified	CA	1,484	2.6	1,040	1.9	38,051	67.9
Arlington Independent School District	TX	15	(5)	—	—	6,036	10.8
Lee County School District	FL	1,005	1.8	178	0.3	4,505	8.2
Portland School District 1J	OR	903	1.7	905	1.7	4,672	8.6
Oakland Unified	CA	285	0.5	137	0.3	17,737	32.7
Jefferson Parish School Board	LA	376	0.7	340	0.6	—	—
Washoe County School District	NV	—	—	—	—	—	—
Knox County School District	TN	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sacramento City Unified	CA	1,120	2.2	799	1.6	15,055	29.3
Cumberland County Schools	NC	—	—	—	—	396	0.8
Prince William County Public School	VA	—	—	—	—	1,362	2.7
Fort Bend Independent School District	TX	0	0.0	—	—	3,927	7.7
Chesterfield County Public Schools	VA	—	—	—	—	396	0.8
Cincinnati City School District	OH	—	—	—	—	1	(5)
Anchorage School District	AK	—	—	202	0.4	—	—
Aldine Independent School District	TX	7	(5)	—	—	10,166	20.6
Minneapolis	MN	—	—	—	—	—	—
San Bernardino City Unified	CA	0	0.0	—	—	9,919	20.3
Seattle	WA	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shelby County School District	TN	—	—	—	—	—	—
Garland Independent School District	TX	156	0.3	—	—	5,281	11.0
San Juan Unified	CA	0	0.0	—	—	2,955	6.2
North East Independent School District	TX	32	0.1	—	—	1,512	3.2
Wichita	KS	—	—	—	—	—	—
Ysleta Independent School District	TX	194	0.4	—	—	10,784	22.8
Buffalo City School District	NY	—	—	—	—	—	—
Caddo Parish School Board	LA	4	(5)	4	(5)	—	—
Garden Grove Unified	CA	49	0.1	37	0.1	22,013	46.9
Pasco County School District	FL	517	1.1	167	0.4	1,178	2.6
St. Louis City	MO	0	0.0	—	—	1,529	3.3
Escambia County School District	FL	402	0.9	120	0.3	312	0.7
St. Paul	MN	—	—	—	—	—	—
Alpine School District	UT	—	—	325	0.7	1,387	3.1
Omaha Public Schools	NE	—	—	290	0.6	1,775	3.9

— Less than 70 percent of schools or agencies reported data; symbol does not distinguish states with missing data from those that do not operate that type of school.

[1] Includes outlying areas, Bureau of Indian Affairs, and Department of Defense (overseas) schools.

[2] Migrant students include those who were enrolled at any time during the previous (1997-98) regular school year.

[3] Migrant students include those who were served in a summer program immediately prior to the (1998-99) school year.

[4] Limited-English-Proficient. Individuals who 1) were not born in the United States or whose native language is a language other than English; or 2) come from environments where a language other than English is dominant; or 3) are American Indians and Alaskan Natives and who come from environments where a language other than English has had a significant impact on their level of English language proficiency; and who, by reason thereof, have sufficient difficulty speaking, reading, writing, or understanding the English language, to deny such individuals the opportunity to learn successfully in classrooms where the language of instruction is English or to participate fully in our society.

[5] Less than 0.05.

Note: Migrant and LEP student information are new CCD data item in the 1998-1999 school year. In this first year of collection, this data item was voluntary so not all states reported this data.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Common Core of Data, Public Elementary/Secondary School Universe Survey, 1998-1999, and Local Education Agency Universe Survey, 1998-1999.

Methodology

The primary source of the nonfiscal data for this report is the 1998–1999 Common Core of Data (CCD). Information was reported to NCES by state education agencies in the spring of 1999. There are three nonfiscal CCD surveys collecting basic descriptive data on public education in the nation: the school (Public School Universe Survey), local education agency (Local Education Agency Universe Survey), and state (State Nonfiscal Survey) forms. Fiscal data are gathered at the state level by NCES in the National Public Education Finance Survey (NPEFS) and at the local level in the Annual Survey of Local Government Finances (F-33 series of the Census of Local Governments) conducted by the Governments Division of the Bureau of the Census. The most recent year for which data are available from the Annual Survey of Local Government Finances is 1997. A CCD coordinator in each state education agency provides all responses. Since the information is supplied by state education agencies, any data item missing for one school district is generally missing for other districts in the same state.

Districts represented in this report are of various physical sizes and geographic locations. Three of the 100 largest districts, District of Columbia, Hawaii, and Puerto Rico, are also states. Some districts comprise a good deal of a state's total student membership, while others make up only a fraction of the state's total student membership.

Response Rates

Notwithstanding the item nonresponse situations cited below, most of these data represent school-district level figures. District-level data were provided by all 50 states, the District of Columbia, Bureau of Indian Affairs, the Department of Defense (overseas) schools, and five outlying areas: American Samoa, Guam, Commonwealth of the Northern Marianas, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands. The Bureau of Indian Affairs and Department of Defense (overseas) schools and the outlying areas are included in the national totals in this report.

Item Nonresponse

There were some items for which data were not available at the desired levels. The following nonresponse situations in the CCD school and agency universe surveys relate to information presented in this report: no teacher counts for Massachusetts and Tennessee (school universe); no data on free lunch eligibility for Arizona, District of Columbia, Illinois, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, and Washington (school universe).

Fiscal national data were taken from the 1996-1997 NPEFS. Fiscal data for Puerto Rico were taken from the 1996–1997 NPEFS as well.

Definitions

Alternative Education School—A public elementary/secondary school that: 1) address needs of students that typically cannot be met in a regular school, 2) provides nontraditional education, 3) serves as an adjunct to a regular school, or 4) falls outside of the categories of regular, special education, or vocational education.

Bureau of Indian Affairs schools and districts—A school or district that is directly funded by the Bureau of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior.

Charter school—A new CCD data item in the 1998-1999 school year. In this first year of collection, this data item was voluntary so not all states reported this data. A school which provides free public elementary and/or secondary education to eligible students under a specific

charter granted by the state legislature or other appropriate authority, and designated by such authority to be a charter school.

Current expenditures—Funds spent for operating local public schools and local education agencies, including such operating expenses as salaries for school personnel, student transportation, school books and materials, and energy costs, but excluding capital outlay and interest on school debt.

Federal revenues—Federal revenues include direct grants-in-aid to school or agencies, funds distributed through a state or intermediate agency, and revenues in lieu of taxes to compensate a school district for nontaxable federal institutions within a district's boundary.

Free and reduced-price lunch eligible—Number of students who are eligible for the Free and Reduced-Price Lunch Program under the National School Lunch Act. Any school that reported more than 95 percent eligible students is adjusted on the CCD files to 95 percent for reasons of student confidentiality. Caution should be used when interpreting these data, six states did not report free lunch eligibility, many others may have included reduced price lunch students or reported participation instead of eligibility data.

Graduates—Students who completed the course of public elementary and secondary education offered by the school district and who received a high school diploma, high school equivalency, or other requirements of completion as defined by state law or policy during the period September 1997 through August 1998.

Guidance counselors—Professional staff assigned specific duties and school time for counseling students and parents, learning problems, evaluating student abilities, and assisting students on career and personal development.

Individual Education Program (IEP)—As used here, refers to written instructional plan for students with disabilities designated as special education students under the Individuals With Disabilities Education Act (IDEA-Part B) which includes: 1) statement of present levels of educational performance of a child; 2) statement of annual goals, including short-term instructional objectives; 3) statement of specific educational services to be provided and the extent to which the child will be able to participate in regular educational programs; 4) projected date for initiation and anticipated duration of services; and 5) appropriate objectives, criteria and evaluation procedures and schedules for determining, on at least an annual basis, whether instructional objectives are being achieved.

Instructional expenditures—Current expenditures for activities directly associated with the interaction between teachers and students. These include teacher salaries and benefits, supplies (such as textbooks), and purchased instructional services.

Instructional support staff—Includes instructional coordinators and supervisors and instructional aides.

LEA administrators—Local education agency superintendents, deputy and assistant superintendents, and other persons with district-wide responsibilities such as business manager and administrative assistants.

Limited-English-Proficient (LEP) Students—A new CCD data item in the 1998-1999 school year. In this first year of collection, this data item was voluntary so not all states reported this data. Individuals who 1) were not born in the United States or whose native language is a language other

than English; or 2) come from environments where a language other than English is dominant; or 3) are American Indians and Alaskan Natives and who come from environments where a language other than English has had a significant impact on their level of English language proficiency; and who, by reason thereof, have sufficient difficulty speaking, reading, writing, or understanding the English language, to deny such individuals the opportunity to learn successfully in classrooms where the language of instruction is English or to participate fully in our society.

Library/media staff—Professional staff members who are assigned specific duties and school time for professional library and media service activities. Includes library/media specialists and support staff.

Local revenues—Include revenues from such sources as local property and nonproperty taxes, investments, and revenues from student activities, textbook sales, transportation and tuition fees, and food service revenues.

Magnet school—A new CCD data item in the 1998-1999 school year. In this first year of collection, this data item was voluntary so not all states reported this data. Regardless of the source of funding, a magnet school or program is a special school or program designed to attract students of different racial/ethnic backgrounds for the purpose of reducing, preventing, or eliminating racial isolation and/or to provide an academic or social focus on a particular theme.

Migrant students— A new CCD data item in the 1998-1999 school year. In this first year of collection, this data item was voluntary so not all states reported this data. A migrant student as defined under 34 CFR 200.40: 1) (a) Is younger than 22 (and has not graduated from high school or does not hold a high school equivalency certificate), but (b), if the child is too young to attend school-sponsored educational programs, is old enough to benefit from an organized instructional program; and 2) A migrant agricultural worker or a migrant fisher or has a parent, spouse, or guardian who is a migrant agricultural worker or a migrant fisher; and 3) performs, or has a parent, spouse, or guardian who performs, qualifying agricultural or fishing employment as a principal means of livelihood ; and 4) has moved within the preceding 36 months to obtain or to accompany or join a parent, spouse, or guardian to obtain, temporary or seasonal employment in agricultural or fishing work; and 5) has moved from one school district to another; or in a state that is comprised of a single school district, has moved from one administrative area to another within such district; or resides in a school district of more than 15,000 square miles, and migrates a distance of 20 miles or more to a temporary residence to engage in a fishing activity. (Provision 5 currently applies only to Alaska.)

Other staff—Includes support staff for local education agencies, schools, student support services and other areas such as data processing, health, transportation, etc.

Per pupil expenditure—Current expenditure for public elementary and secondary education in a state divided by the student membership. The numbers reported here, based on membership, can be expected to be smaller than per pupil expenditures based on average daily attendance, because the membership counts are generally larger than average daily attendance.

Public school—An institution that provides educational services and has the following characteristics:

- Has one or more grade groups (prekindergarten through grade 12) or is ungraded;
- Has one or more teachers to give instruction;
- Is located in one or more buildings or sites;
- Has an assigned administrator;

- Receives public funds as primary support;
- Is operated by an education agency.

Pupil/teacher ratio—The ratio of pupils to teachers in a school district, based on the total number of pupils (student membership) and the total full-time-equivalent (FTE) number of teachers reported in the schools associated with the school district. The pupil/teacher ratio is not a class size but rather a district level measure of pupils and teachers.

Pupils in membership—Count of all students whose names have been entered on the roll, minus those whose names have been withdrawn, on or before the closest school day to October 1. Membership counts at the district level may include students for whom the district is providing educational services through some other agency or institution.

Regular school—A public elementary/secondary school that does not focus primarily on vocational, special, or alternative education. It is possible for a regular school, just like a vocational, special, or alternative education school, to have no students in membership.

Regular school district—Agency responsible for providing free public education for school-age children residing within their jurisdiction. This category excludes local supervisory unions that provide management services for a group of associated school districts; regional education service agencies that typically provide school districts with research, testing, and data processing services; state and federally operated school districts; and other agencies that do not fall into these groupings.

Revenues—Additions to assets which do not incur an obligation that must be met at some future date, do not represent exchanges of fixed assets, and are available for expenditure by the local education agencies in the state. Revenues include funds from local, intermediate, state, and federal sources.

School administrators—Staff members whose activities are concerned with directing and managing the operation of a particular school.

Schools having membership—Schools at which students are counted for administrative purposes, even though the students may attend one or more other schools for all or part of their school day.

Special Education School—A public elementary/secondary school that: 1) focuses primarily on special education, including instruction for any of the following: hard of hearing, deaf, speech-impaired, health-impaired, orthopedically impaired, mentally retarded, seriously emotionally disturbed, multi-handicapped, visually handicapped, deaf and blind; and 2) adapts curriculum, materials or instruction for students served.

State revenues—State revenues include both direct funds from state governments and funds in lieu of taxation. Revenues in lieu of taxes are paid to compensate a school district for nontaxable state institutions or facilities within the district's boundary.

Teachers—The total number of classroom teachers for ungraded and all PK-12 graded classes in a school or district, state in full-time-equivalencies (FTE).

Title I school—A new CCD data item in the 1998-1999 school year. In this first year of collection, this data item was voluntary so not all states reported this data. A school designated under

appropriate state and federal regulations as being high poverty and eligible for participation in programs authorized by Title I of Public Law 103-382.

Title I school-wide—A new CCD data item in the 1998-1999 school year. In this first year of collection, this data item was voluntary so not all states reported this data. A program in which all the students in a school are designated under appropriate state and federal regulations as being high poverty and eligible for participation in programs authorized by Title I of Public Law 103-382.

Vocational Education School—A public elementary/secondary school that focuses primarily on vocational education, and provides education and training in one or more semi-skilled or technical operations.

Related Data Sources

Data from the 1998–1999 and earlier CCD surveys are available in the publications and machine-readable products listed below:

Publications

- Public School Student, Staff, and Graduate Counts by State: School Year 1998–1999. (NCES 2000-330, May 2000).
- Revenues and Expenditures for Public Elementary and Secondary Education: School Year 1997–1998 (NCES 2000-348, May 2000)
- Overview of Public Elementary and Secondary Schools and Districts: School Year 1998–1999 (2000-333, May 2000)
- Directory of Public Elementary and Secondary Education Agencies, 1996–97. (NCES 1999-313, December 1999).

Data Files

Data files for school, agency, and state universe surveys (with the exception of the F-33) may be found on the CCD data page of the CCD web site at http://nces.ed.gov/ccd/ccddata.html

Appendices

Appendices A and B present data on the 1998–1999 school year. Appendix A presents the mailing addresses and phone numbers of the 500 largest school districts by rank according to size. Appendix B is an alphabetical listing of the 500 largest school districts.

Appendix C presents data for the 1988–1989 school year. This table presents the name, city, state and county of the 100 largest districts, as well as the number of students, teachers, and schools.

Appendix D presents data on the 1998–99 school year. This table presents the number of the 100 largest school districts by state.

Appendix A. The 500 largest public school districts in the United States*: School year 1998-1999

Rank	Students	Agency name	Mailing address	City	ST	ZIP	Schools	Telephone
1	1,072,828	New York City Public Schools	110 Livingston St	Brooklyn	NY	11201	1,182	718-935-2794
2	695,885	Los Angeles Unified	450 N. Grand Ave.	Los Angeles	CA	90012	650	213-625-6251
3	601,902	Puerto Rico Dept of Education	P.O. Box 190759	San Juan	PR	00919	1,538	787-759-2000
4	430,914	City Of Chicago School Dist 29	125 S Clark	Chicago	IL	60603	592	773-553-1000
5	352,536	Dade County School District	1450 N.E. 2Nd Ave., #912	Miami	FL	33132	329	305-995-1429
6	231,187	Broward County School District	600 S.E. 3Rd Avenue	Fort Lauderdale	FL	33301	229	954-765-6271
7	210,179	Houston ISD	3830 Richmond Ave	Houston	TX	77027	296	713-892-6000
8	207,465	Philadelphia City SD	Parkway At 21St Street	Philadelphia	PA	19103	259	215-299-7000
9	203,777	Clark County School District	2832 East Flamingo	Las Vegas	NV	89121	229	702-799-5310
10	188,069	Hawaii Department Of Education	Po Box 2360	Honolulu	HI	96804	254	808-837-8012
11	173,557	Detroit City School District	5057 Woodward Avenue	Detroit	MI	48202	269	313-494-1075
12	159,908	Dallas ISD	3700 Ross Avenue	Dallas	TX	75204	223	972-925-3700
13	156,452	Hillsborough County Sch Dist	P.O. Box 3408	Tampa	FL	33601	200	813-272-4050
14	149,029	Fairfax Cnty Public Schls	10700 Page Ave	Fairfax	VA	22030	206	703-246-2631
15	146,568	Palm Beach County School Dist	3340 Forest Hill Blvd.	West Palm Beach	FL	33406	164	561-434-8200
16	138,866	Orange County School District	P.O. Box 271	Orlando	FL	32802	175	407-317-3209
17	138,433	San Diego City Unified	4100 Normal St.	San Diego	CA	92103	174	619-293-8686
18	130,259	Prince Georges County Pub Schs	14201 School Ln	Upper Marlboro	MD	20772	187	301-952-6000
19	127,933	Montgomery County Public Schls	850 Hungerford Dr	Rockville	MD	20850	188	301-279-3000
20	127,411	Duval County School District	1701 Prudential Dr	Jacksonville	FL	32207	174	904-390-2115
21	111,682	Memphis City School District	2597 Avery Avenue	Memphis	TN	38112	161	901-325-5300
22	110,582	Pinellas County School Dist	301 4Th Street S.W.	Largo	FL	33779	159	727-588-6011
23	106,540	Baltimore City Pub Sch System	200 E North Ave	Baltimore	MD	21202	182	410-396-8803
24	105,914	Baltimore County Public Schls	6901 N Charles St	Towson	MD	21204	168	410-887-4074
25	101,438	Jefferson (KY) County	P.O. Box 34020	Louisville	KY	40232	173	502-485-3251
26	99,814	Milwaukee Sch Dist	Po Box 2181	Milwaukee	WI	53201	204	414-475-8001
27	98,784	Gwinnett County School Dist	52 Gwinnett Dr	Lawrenceville	GA	30045	80	404-963-8651
28	98,758	Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools	Po Box 30035	Charlotte	NC	28230	134	704-379-7000
29	93,171	Dekalb County School District	3770 N Decatur Rd	Decatur	GA	30032	114	404-297-2300
30	92,256	Wake County Schools	Po Box 28041	Raleigh	NC	27611	106	919-850-1600
31	91,208	Cobb County School District	514 Glover Street	Marietta	GA	30061	93	770-426-3300
32	89,214	Long Beach Unified	1515 Hughes Way	Long Beach	CA	90810	86	562-997-8000
33	88,654	Jefferson (CO) County R-1	P O Box 4001	Golden	CO	80401	157	303-982-6500
34	85,847	Albuquerque Public Schools	Po Box 25704	Albuquerque	NM	87125	125	505-842-8211
35	82,176	Orleans Parish School Board	3510 General Degaulle Drive	New Orleans	LA	70114	123	504-365-8730
36	79,496	Austin ISD	1111 West 6Th St	Austin	TX	78703	102	512-414-1700
37	78,942	Fresno Unified	Ed. Cntr., Tulare & M Sts.	Fresno	CA	93721	91	209-441-3000
38	77,956	Fort Worth ISD	100 North University Dr	Fort Worth	TX	76107	136	817-871-2000
39	77,442	Virginia Beach City Public Sch	Po Box 6038	Virginia Beach	VA	23456	83	757-427-4326
40	77,300	Polk County School District	1915 S. Floral Avenue	Bartow	FL	33831	132	941-534-0521
41	76,500	Cleveland City SD	1380 E 6Th St	Cleveland	OH	44114	124	216-574-8000
42	74,079	Anne Arundel County Pub Schls	2644 Riva Rd	Annapolis	MD	21401	118	410-224-5000
43	73,474	Granite School District	340 E 3545 S	Salt Lake City	UT	84115	97	801-263-6100
44	73,286	Jordan School District	9361 S 300 E	Sandy	UT	84070	77	801-567-8100
45	71,889	District Of Columbia Pub Schls	825 North Capitol St., N.E.	Washington	DC	20002	164	202-442-4226
46	71,284	Mesa Unified School District	549 N Stapley Dr	Mesa	AZ	85203	80	602-898-7700
47	68,790	Denver County 1	900 Grant Street	Denver	CO	80203	122	303-764-3413
48	68,681	Brevard County School District	2700 Judge Fran	Viera	FL	32940	99	407-631-1911
49	67,016	Nashville-Davidson County SD	2601 Bransford Avenue	Nashville	TN	37204	125	615-259-8419
50	65,642	Fulton County School District	786 Cleveland Avenue, Sw	Atlanta	GA	30315	65	404-768-3600
51	65,324	Mobile County Sch Dist	P O Box 1327	Mobile	AL	36633	105	334-690-8227
52	64,873	Columbus City SD	270 E State St	Columbus	OH	43215	145	614-365-5000
53	63,043	Boston School Dirtrict	26 Court	Boston	MA	02108	130	617-635-9050
54	62,945	El Paso ISD	P O Box 20100	El Paso	TX	79998	83	915-834-5010
55	62,670	Tucson Unified District	P O Box 40400	Tucson	AZ	85717	120	520-617-7233
56	61,308	Northside ISD	5900 Evers Road	San Antonio	TX	78238	83	210-706-8770
57	61,154	Guilford County Schools	Po Box 880	Greensboro	NC	27402	95	336-370-8100
58	61,042	San Francisco Unified	135 Van Ness Ave.	San Francisco	CA	94102	116	415-241-6000
59	60,541	Atlanta City School District	210 Pryor Rd.	Atlanta Ga.	GA	30303	98	404-827-8075
60	59,851	Volusia County School District	P.O. Box 2118	Deland	FL	32721	88	904-734-7190
61	59,285	Davis School District	45 E State St	Farmington	UT	84025	79	801-444-5000
62	59,080	San Antonio ISD	141 Lavaca St	San Antonio	TX	78210	108	210-299-5500
63	58,156	Seminole County School Dist	400 East Lake Mary Blvd.	Sanford	FL	32773	63	407-320-0004
64	58,044	Cypress-Fairbanks ISD	P O Box 692003	Houston	TX	77269	52	281-897-4000
65	57,884	Greenville County School Dist	Box 2848 301 Camperdown Way	Greenville	SC	29602	92	864-241-3457
66	56,527	East Baton Rouge Parish Sch Bd	Po Box 2950	Baton Rouge	LA	70821	104	225-922-5618
67	56,071	Santa Ana Unified	1601 E Chestnut Ave	Santa Ana	CA	92701	50	714-558-5501
68	55,709	Arlington ISD	1203 West Pioneer Parkway	Arlington	TX	76013	68	817-460-4611
69	54,779	Lee County School District	2055 Central Avenue	Fort Myers	FL	33901	75	941-337-8301
70	54,546	Portland Sch Dist 1J	Po Box 3107	Portland	OR	97208	111	503-916-2000

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71	54,256	Oakland Unified	1025 Second Ave.	Oakland	CA	94606	89	510-836-8100
72	53,615	Jefferson Parish School Board	501 Manhattan Blvd	Harvey	LA	70058	84	504-349-7600
73	52,813	Washoe County School District	425 East Ninth	Reno	NV	89520	87	702-348-0200
74	51,667	Knox County School District	Po Box 2188	Knoxville	TN	37902	85	423-594-1800
75	51,378	Sacramento City Unified	P.O. Box 2271	Sacramento	CA	95812	76	916-264-4305
76	51,297	Cumberland County Schools	Po Box 2357	Fayetteville	NC	28302	76	910-678-2300
77	51,111	Prince William Cnty Public Sch	Po Box 389	Manassas	VA	20108	68	703-791-8712
78	50,890	Fort Bend ISD	16431 Lexington Blvd	Sugar Land	TX	77479	50	281-634-1000
79	50,621	Chesterfield Cnty Public Schls	Po Box 10	Chesterfield	VA	23832	58	804-748-1411
80	50,332	Cincinnati City SD	2651 Burnet Ave, Po Box 5381	Cincinnati	OH	45201	80	513-475-7000
81	49,587	Anchorage School District	P.O. Box 196614	Anchorage	AK	99519	92	907-333-9561
82	49,453	Aldine ISD	14910 Aldine Westfield Rd	Houston	TX	77032	56	281-449-1011
83	49,242	Minneapolis	807 N.E. Broadway	Minneapolis	MN	55413	148	612-627-2050
84	48,907	San Bernardino City Unified	777 North F St.	San Bernardino	CA	92410	61	909-381-1100
85	48,260	Seattle	815 4Th Ave N	Seattle	WA	98109	118	206-281-6100
86	48,185	Shelby County School District	160 South Hollywood	Memphis	TN	38112	47	901-325-7900
87	47,967	Garland ISD	720 Stadium Drive	Garland	TX	75040	64	972-494-8201
88	47,799	San Juan Unified	P.O. Box 477	Carmichael	CA	95609	82	916-971-7700
89	47,732	North East ISD	8961 Tesoro Dr	San Antonio	TX	78217	63	210-804-7000
90	47,479	Wichita	201 N Water	Wichita	KS	67202	93	316-833-4080
91	47,238	Ysleta ISD	9600 Sims Drive	El Paso	TX	79925	60	915-595-5500
92	47,096	Buffalo City SD	712 City Hall	Buffalo	NY	14202	74	716-851-3575
93	47,089	Caddo Parish School Board	Po Box 32000	Shreveport	LA	71130	73	318-636-6323
94	46,916	Garden Grove Unified	10331 Stanford Ave	Garden Grove	CA	92640	65	714-663-6000
95	46,065	Pasco County School District	7227 Land O'Lakes Blvd	Land O' Lakes	FL	34639	50	813-996-3600
96	45,981	St. Louis City	911 Locust St	St Louis	MO	63101	113	314-231-3720
97	45,667	Escambia County School Dist	P. O. Box 1470	Pensacola	FL	32597	83	850-469-6130
98	45,349	St. Paul	360 Colborne St.	St. Paul	MN	55102	139	651-293-5100
99	45,208	Alpine School District	575 N 100 E	American Fork	UT	84003	54	801-756-8400
100	45,118	Omaha Public Schools	3215 Cuming St	Omaha	NE	68131	81	402-557-2222
101	44,229	Plano ISD	2700 W 15Th	Plano	TX	75075	53	972-519-8100
102	44,068	Clayton County School District	120 Smith St	Jonesboro	GA	30236	46	404-473-2700
103	43,934	Charleston County School Dist	75 Calhoun Street	Charleston	SC	29401	74	843-724-7716
104	43,609	Newark City	2 Cedar Street	Newark	NJ	07102	75	973-733-7333
105	42,852	Tulsa	Po Box 470208	Tulsa	OK	74147	80	918-746-6303
106	42,847	Forsyth County Schools	Po Box 2513	Winston Salem	NC	27102	61	336-727-2816
107	42,484	Elk Grove Unified	9510 Elk Grove-Florin Rd.	Elk Grove	CA	95624	43	916-686-7700
108	42,292	Hamilton County School Distrct	6703 Bonny Oaks Drive	Chattanooga	TN	37402	81	423-209-8400
109	42,196	Capistrano Unified	32972 Calle Perfecto	San Juan Capistran	CA	92675	39	714-489-7000
110	42,084	Indianapolis Public Schools	120 E Walnut St	Indianapolis	IN	46204	87	317-226-4411
111	41,892	Jefferson County Sch Dist	2100 18Th Street S	Birmingham	AL	35209	63	205-930-3800
112	41,858	Howard County Pub Schls System	10910 State Route 108	Ellicott City	MD	21042	65	410-313-6600
113	41,240	Pasadena ISD	1515 Cherrybrook	Pasadena	TX	77502	53	713-920-6800
114	41,056	Alief ISD	Po Box 68	Alief	TX	77411	34	281-498-8110
115	40,923	Anoka-Hennepin	11299 Hanson Blvd. N.W.	Coon Rapids	MN	55433	54	612-506-1000
116	40,290	Corpus Christi ISD	P O Box 110	Corpus Christi	TX	78403	64	361-886-9002
117	40,262	Brownsville ISD	1900 Price Road	Brownsville	TX	78521	45	956-548-8000
118	40,089	Cherry Creek 5	4700 South Yosemite Street	Englewood	CO	80111	45	303-773-1184
119	39,995	Henrico Cnty Public Schls	Po Box 23120	Richmond	VA	23223	60	804-652-3620
120	39,602	Pittsburgh SD	341 S Bellefield Ave	Pittsburgh	PA	15213	91	412-622-3500
121	39,581	Toledo City SD	420 E Manhattan	Toledo	OH	43608	69	419-729-8200
122	39,493	Birmingham City Sch Dist	P O Box 10007	Birmingham	AL	35202	98	205-583-4701
123	39,398	Okla City	Po Box 25428	Oklahoma City	OK	73125	89	405-297-6522
124	38,909	Harford County Public Schools	45 E Gordon St	Bel Air	MD	21014	53	410-838-7300
125	38,121	Rochester City SD	131 W Broad St	Rochester	NY	14614	60	716-262-8378
126	37,915	Marion County Sch Dist	P.O. Box 670	Ocala	FL	34478	59	352-620-7702
127	37,861	Kansas City 33	1211 Mcgee	Kansas City	MO	64106	75	816-418-7000
128	37,852	Norfolk City Public Schls	Po Box 1357	Norfolk	VA	23501	61	757-441-2107
129	36,729	Chatham County School District	208 Bull St	Savannah	GA	31401	46	912-651-7000
130	36,724	Chesapeake City Public Schls	Po Box 15204	Chesapeake	VA	23328	44	757-547-0165
131	36,713	Riverside Unified	P.O. Box 2800	Riverside	CA	92516	42	909-788-7134
132	36,326	Richmond County School Dist	2083 Heckle Street	Augusta	GA	30904	56	706-737-7200
133	36,124	Stockton City Unified	701 N. Madison St.	Stockton	CA	95202	42	209-953-4050
134	36,122	Mt. Diablo Unified	1936 Carlotta Dr.	Concord	CA	94519	55	510-682-8000
135	35,383	Frederick County Board Of Ed	115 E Church St	Frederick	MD	21701	55	301-694-1000
136	34,956	Paradise Valley Unified Distr	15002 N 32Nd St	Phoenix	AZ	85032	43	602-867-5100
137	34,870	Lewisville ISD	P O Box 217	Lewisville	TX	75067	45	972-539-1551
138	34,339	Fontana Unified	9680 Citrus Ave.	Fontana	CA	92335	33	909-357-5000
139	34,202	Richardson ISD	400 South Greenville Ave	Richardson	TX	75081	54	972-301-3333
140	34,094	School District 46	355 E Chicago St	Elgin	IL	60120	52	847-888-5000

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141	34,083	Manatee County Sch Dist	P.O. Box 9069	Bradenton	FL	34206	65	941-741-7235
142	34,009	Saddleback Valley Unified	25631 Diseno Dr.	Mission Viejo	CA	92691	37	714-586-1234
143	33,999	Montebello Unified	123 S. Montebello Blvd.	Montebello	CA	90640	28	213-726-1225
144	33,994	Montgomery County Sch Dist	P O Box 1991	Montgomery	AL	36102	58	334-223-6710
145	33,958	Sarasota County Sch Dist	1960 Landings Blvd.	Sarasota	FL	34231	45	941-927-9000
146	33,898	West Contra Costa Unified	1108 Bissell Ave.	Richmond	CA	94801	59	510-234-3825
147	33,725	Salem/Keizer Sch Dist 24J	Po Box 12024	Salem	OR	97309	54	503-399-3000
148	33,349	Muscogee County School Dist	1200 Bradley Dr.	Columbus	GA	31902	50	706-649-0500
149	33,335	Newport News City Public Schls	Po Box 6130	Newport News	VA	23606	44	757-591-4545
150	33,168	Corona-Norco Unified	2820 Clark Ave.	Norco	CA	91760	35	909-736-5000
151	33,124	Fayette Co	701 East Main St	Lexington	KY	40502	63	606-281-0100
152	33,115	Calcasieu Parish School Board	Po Box 800	Lake Charles	LA	70602	60	318-491-1600
153	33,027	Sweetwater Union High	1130 Fifth Ave.	Chula Vista	CA	91911	21	619-691-5500
154	32,940	Tacoma	601 S 8Th Zip 98405	Tacoma	WA	98401	68	253-571-1010
155	32,843	San Jose Unified	855 Lenzen Ave.	San Jose	CA	95126	54	408-535-6000
156	32,819	Pomona Unified	P.O. Box 2900	Pomona	CA	91769	38	909-397-4700
157	32,589	Colorado Springs 11	1115 North El Paso Street	Colorado Springs	CO	80903	63	719-520-2000
158	32,553	Saint Tammany Parish School Bd	Po Box 940	Covington	LA	70434	51	504-892-2276
159	32,505	Jersey City	346 Claremont Avenue	Jersey City	NJ	07305	38	201-915-6202
160	32,403	Spokane	200 N Bernard St	Spokane	WA	99201	68	509-353-3690
161	32,361	Akron City SD	70 N Broadway	Akron	OH	44308	62	330-761-1661
162	32,290	Conroe ISD	702 North Thompson St	Conroe	TX	77301	40	409-756-7751
163	32,222	Guam Dept Of Education	Po Box De	Agana	GU	96932	37	671-475-0462
164	31,936	Jackson Public School Dist	662 S President Street	Jackson	MS	39225	60	601-960-8725
165	31,845	Poway Unified	13626 Twin Peaks Road	Poway	CA	92064	29	619-748-0010
166	31,680	Fort Wayne Community Schools	1200 S Clinton St	Fort Wayne	IN	46802	55	219-425-7272
167	31,642	Moreno Valley Unified	13911 Perris Blvd.	Moreno Valley	CA	92553	31	909-485-5600
168	31,622	Beaverton Sch Dist 48J	16550 Sw Merlo	Beaverton	OR	97006	43	503-591-8000
169	31,614	Leon County Sch Dist	2757 W. Pensacola Street	Tallahassee	FL	32304	48	850-487-7147
170	31,489	Shawnee Mission Public Schools	7235 Antioch	Shawnee Mission	KS	66204	56	913-993-6200
171	31,487	Clovis Unified	1450 Herndon Ave.	Clovis	CA	93611	33	209-297-4000
172	31,446	Klein ISD	7200 Spring-Cypress Road	Klein	TX	77379	29	281-376-4180
173	31,406	Des Moines Independent Comm Sc	1800 Grand Ave	Des Moines	IA	50309	65	515-242-7911
174	31,379	Mesquite ISD	405 East Davis St	Mesquite	TX	75149	41	972-288-6411
175	31,316	Peoria Unified District	P O Box 39	Peoria	AZ	85380	30	602-486-6000
176	31,104	Spring Branch ISD	955 Campbell Rd	Houston	TX	77024	40	713-464-1511
177	31,084	Chino Valley Unified	5130 Riverside Dr.	Chino	CA	91710	30	909-628-1201
178	31,013	Lincoln Public Schools	Box 82889	Lincoln	NE	68501	54	402-436-1000
179	30,919	Fremont Unified	P.O. Box 5008	Fremont	CA	94537	43	510-657-2350
180	30,790	Collier County Sch Dist	3710 Estey Avenue	Naples	FL	34104	46	941-436-6421
181	30,790	Kanawha County School District	200 Elizabeth St	Charleston	WV	25311	88	304-348-7732
182	30,618	Lafayette Parish School Board	Po Drawer 2158	Lafayette	LA	70502	42	318-236-6825
183	30,414	Okaloosa County Sch Dist	120 Lowery Place, S.E.	Fort Walton Beach	FL	32548	45	850-833-3109
184	30,358	Gaston County Schools	Po Box 1397	Gastonia	NC	28053	51	704-866-6100
185	30,312	Glendale Unified	223 N. Jackson St.	Glendale	CA	91206	31	818-241-3111
186	30,127	Osceola County Sch Dist	817 Bill Beck Boulevard	Kissimmee	FL	34744	34	407-870-4008
187	30,126	Katy ISD	P O Box 159	Katy	TX	77492	28	281-396-6000
188	29,927	Orange Unified	P.O. Box 11022	Orange	CA	92856	39	714-997-6100
189	29,847	Douglas County Re 1	620 Wilcox Street	Castle Rock	CO	80104	49	303-688-3195
190	29,674	Alachua County Sch Dist	620 E. University Avenue	Gainesville	FL	32601	55	352-955-7527
191	29,565	Lubbock ISD	1628 19Th Street	Lubbock	TX	79401	60	806-766-1000
192	29,409	Compton Unified	604 S. Tamarind Ave.	Compton	CA	90220	39	310-639-4321
193	29,150	Amarillo ISD	7200 I-40 West	Amarillo	TX	79106	50	806-354-4200
194	29,044	Durham Public Schools	Po Box 30002	Durham	NC	27702	44	919-560-2000
195	29,027	Adams-Arapahoe 28J	1085 Peoria Street	Aurora	CO	80011	46	303-344-8060
196	28,877	St. Lucie County School Dist	2909 Delaware Ave	Ft. Pierce	FL	34947	40	561-468-5000
197	28,533	Killeen ISD	P O Box 967	Killeen	TX	76540	43	254-501-0006
198	28,464	Round Rock ISD	1311 Round Rock Ave	Round Rock	TX	78681	36	512-464-5000
199	28,389	Ector County ISD	P O Box 3912	Odessa	TX	79760	42	915-332-9151
200	28,205	Clear Creek ISD	P O Box 799	League City	TX	77574	29	281-332-2826
201	27,955	Northglenn-Thornton 12	11285 Highline Drive	Northglenn	CO	80233	44	303-451-1561
202	27,817	Lake County Sch Dist	201 West Burleigh Blvd.	Tavares	FL	32778	44	352-343-3531
203	27,805	Weber School District	5320 S Adams Ave	Ogden	UT	84405	40	801-476-7800
204	27,712	Anaheim Union High	P.O. Box 3520	Anaheim	CA	92803	21	714-999-3511
205	27,704	Rosemount-Apple Valley-Eagan	14445 Diamond Path West	Rosemount	MN	55068	37	651-423-7700
206	27,678	Kern Union High	5801 Sundale Ave	Bakersfield	CA	93309	23	805-827-3100
207	27,651	Irving ISD	P O Box 152637	Irving	TX	75015	34	972-273-6000
208	27,621	Richmond City Public Schls	301 N 9Th St	Richmond	VA	23219	60	804-780-7700
209	27,602	Rockford School Dist 205	201 S Madison St	Rockford	IL	61104	51	815-966-3101
210	27,342	Clay County Sch Dist	900 Walnut Street	Green Cove Springs	FL	32043	29	904-284-6510

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211	27,224	Carroll County Public Schools	55 N Court St	Westminster	MD	21157	38	410-848-8280
212	27,176	Bakersfield City Elementary	1300 Baker St.	Bakersfield	CA	93305	41	805-631-4600
213	27,094	Richland School District 01	1616 Richland St	Columbia	SC	29201	51	803-733-6041
214	26,880	Boulder Valley Re 2	P O Box 9011, 6500 Arapahoe Av	Boulder	CO	80301	55	303-447-1010
215	26,837	Horry County School District	1600 Horry Street	Conway	SC	29527	41	843-248-2206
216	26,806	Boise City Ind School Dist 1	1207 West Fort Street	Boise	ID	83702	50	208-338-3400
217	26,796	Scottsdale Unified District	3811 N 44Th St	Phoenix	AZ	85018	30	602-952-6100
218	26,776	Utica Community Schools	11303 Greendale Drive	Sterling Heights	MI	48312	40	810-795-2300
219	26,695	Dayton City SD	348 W First St	Dayton	OH	45402	49	937-461-3000
220	26,469	Vista Unified	1234 Arcadia Ave.	Vista	CA	92084	27	619-726-2170
221	26,384	Berkeley County School Dist	P O Box 608	Moncks Corner	SC	29461	35	843-761-8600
222	26,354	Grand Rapids Public Schools	P.O. Box 117	Grand Rapids	MI	49501	101	616-771-2000
223	26,147	Providence Sch Dist	796 Westminster Street	Providence	RI	02903	49	401-456-9211
224	26,115	Lodi Unified	1305 E. Vine St.	Lodi	CA	95240	36	209-331-7000
225	26,096	Rialto Unified	182 E. Walnut Ave.	Rialto	CA	92376	26	909-820-7700
226	26,080	Loudoun Cnty Public Schls	102 North St Nw	Leesburg	VA	20176	41	703-771-6400
227	25,936	Bay County Sch Dist	1311 Balboa Avenue	Panama City	FL	32401	39	850-872-7700
228	25,901	Kent	12033 Se 256Th St	Kent	WA	98031	41	253-813-7200
229	25,798	Springfield School District	195 State, Box 1410	Springfield	MA	01102	47	413-787-7087
230	25,521	Salt Lake City School District	440 E 100 S	Salt Lake City	UT	84111	41	801-578-8599
231	25,443	Placentia-Yorba Linda Unified	1301 E. Orangethorpe Ave.	Placentia	CA	92670	29	714-996-2550
232	25,412	Worcester School District	20 Irving	Worcester	MA	01609	51	508-799-3116
233	25,277	Yonkers City SD	145 Palmer Rd	Yonkers	NY	10701	38	914-376-8100
234	25,151	Ontario-Montclair Elementary	950 West D St.	Ontario	CA	91762	31	909-983-9501
235	25,146	Springfield R-XII	940 N Jefferson	Springfield	MO	65802	57	417-864-3800
236	25,133	Flint City School District	923 E. Kearsley Street	Flint	MI	48503	46	810-760-1249
237	25,113	Madison Metropolitan Sch Dist	545 W Dayton St	Madison	WI	53703	50	608-266-6235
238	25,099	Washington Elementary District	8610 N 19Th Ave	Phoenix	AZ	85021	32	602-864-2600
239	24,857	Buncombe County Schools	175 Bingham Rd	Asheville	NC	28806	36	828-255-5921
240	24,732	Gilbert Unified District	140 S Gilbert Rd	Gilbert	AZ	85296	25	602-497-3300
241	24,682	Rutherford County School Dist	502 Memorial Boulevard	Murfreesboro	TN	37129	30	615-893-5812
242	24,620	Bibb County School District	484 Mulberry St	Macon	GA	31202	42	912-765-8711
243	24,499	Paterson City	33-35 Church Street	Paterson	NJ	07505	35	973-881-6213
244	24,492	Lake Washington	16250 Ne 74Th St	Redmond	WA	98073	49	425-702-3257
245	24,451	Aiken County School District	1000 Brookhaven Dr	Aiken	SC	29803	37	803-641-2700
246	24,441	Little Rock School District	810 W. Markham Street	Little Rock	AR	72201	49	501-321-2000
247	24,429	Deer Valley Unified District	20402 N 15Th Ave	Phoenix	AZ	85027	24	602-581-7700
248	24,341	Cherokee County School Dist	221 W. Main St.	Canton	GA	30114	30	404-479-1871
249	24,273	Visalia Unified	5000 W Cypress Ave	Visalia	CA	93277	32	209-730-7551
250	24,259	East Side Union High	830 N. Capitol Ave.	San Jose	CA	95133	15	408-272-6400
251	24,194	United ISD	201 Lindenwood Road	Laredo	TX	78045	30	956-722-3938
252	24,066	Robeson County Schools	Po Box 2909	Lumberton	NC	28359	41	910-738-4841
253	23,933	Rapides Parish School Board	Po Box 1230	Alexandria	LA	71309	55	318-487-0888
254	23,855	Humble ISD	P O Box 2000	Humble	TX	77347	28	281-540-5000
255	23,671	Syracuse City SD	725 Harrison St	Syracuse	NY	13210	35	315-435-4161
256	23,566	Socorro ISD	P O Box 292800	El Paso	TX	79929	23	915-860-3400
257	23,559	Huntsville City Sch Dist	P O Box 1256	Huntsville	AL	35807	48	256-532-4640
258	23,541	Hampton City Public Schls	144 Research Dr	Hampton	VA	23666	35	757-896-8100
259	23,433	Torrance Unified	2335 Plaza Del Amo	Torrance	CA	90501	30	310-533-4200
260	23,337	Montgomery County Schools	501 Franklin Street Po Box 867	Clarksville	TN	37041	29	615-648-5600
261	23,329	Pasadena Unified	351 S. Hudson Ave.	Pasadena	CA	91101	30	818-795-6981
262	23,328	Evansville-Vanderburgh Sch Cor	1 Se 9Th St	Evansville	IN	47708	43	812-435-8477
263	23,234	Grossmont Union High	P.O. Box 1043	La Mesa	CA	91944	13	619-465-3131
264	23,178	Poudre R-1	2407 La Porte Avenue	Fort Collins	CO	80521	45	970-482-7420
265	23,149	Hayward Unified	P.O. Box 5000	Hayward	CA	94540	33	510-784-2600
266	23,123	Irvine Unified	5050 Barranca Parkway	Irvine	CA	92714	32	714-651-0444
267	22,911	Midland ISD	615 W Missouri Ave	Midland	TX	79701	36	915-689-1000
268	22,824	Hacienda La Puente Unified	P.O. Box 60002	City Of Industry	CA	91716	36	818-333-2201
269	22,601	Laredo ISD	1702 Houston Street	Laredo	TX	78040	30	956-795-3200
270	22,592	Norwalk-La Mirada Unified	12820 Pioneer Blvd.	Norwalk	CA	90650	28	310-868-0431
271	22,466	Hartford School District	153 Market Street	Hartford	CT	06103	37	860-722-8500
272	22,420	Carrollton-Farmers Branch ISD	P O Box 115186	Carrollton	TX	75011	36	972-466-6100
273	22,403	Las Cruces Public Schools	505 S Main St, Suite 249	Las Cruces	NM	88001	36	505-527-5807
274	22,263	Board Of Educ, Charles County	Po Box D	La Plata	MD	20646	33	301-932-6610
275	22,221	Bridgeport School District	45 Lyon Terrace, Rm 303	Bridgeport	CT	06604	38	203-576-7301
276	22,206	ABC Unified	16700 Norwalk Blvd.	Cerritos	CA	90703	30	310-926-5566
277	22,176	Baldwin County Sch Dist	175 Courthouse Square	Bay Minette	AL	36507	46	334-937-0308
278	22,165	Sumner County School District	225 E Main Street	Gallatin	TN	37066	36	615-451-5200
279	22,037	Desert Sands Unified	47-950 Dune Palms Rd	La Quinta	CA	92253	23	619-775-3500
280	22,028	Osseo	11200 93Rd Ave. N.	Maple Grove	MN	55369	34	612-391-7000

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Rank	Students	Agency name	Mailing address	City	ST	ZIP	Schools	Telephone
281	22,021	Santa Rosa County Sch Dist	803 Canal Street	Milton	FL	32570	33	850-983-5000
282	21,944	Federal Way	31405 18Th Ave S	Federal Way	WA	98003	38	253-945-2000
283	21,925	Edmonds	20420 68Th Ave W	Lynnwood	WA	98036	42	425-670-7003
284	21,918	Meridian Jt School District 2	911 Meridian St	Meridian	ID	83642	30	208-888-6701
285	21,863	Spring ISD	16717 Ella Blvd	Houston	TX	77090	25	281-586-1100
286	21,708	Fairfield-Suisun Unified	1975 Pennsylvania Ave	Fairfield	CA	94533	26	707-421-4000
287	21,702	Racine Sch Dist	2220 Northwestern Ave	Racine	WI	53404	36	414-631-7064
288	21,537	Oceanside City Unified	2111 Mission Ave.	Oceanside	CA	92054	25	760-757-2560
289	21,534	Phoenix Union High Sch Dist	4502 N Central Ave	Phoenix	AZ	85012	12	602-271-3100
290	21,492	New Hanover County Schools	1802 S 15Th St	Wilmington	NC	28401	32	910-763-5431
291	21,454	Vancouver	2921 Falk Rd	Vancouver	WA	98661	39	360-696-7161
292	21,338	Chula Vista Elementary	84 East J St.	Chula Vista	CA	91910	35	619-425-9600
293	21,333	Onslow County Schools	Po Box 99	Jacksonville	NC	28541	31	910-455-2211
294	21,254	Mcallen ISD	2000 N 23Rd St	Mcallen	TX	78501	32	956-618-6000
295	21,084	South Bend Community Sch Corp	635 S Main St	South Bend	IN	46601	38	219-283-8000
296	21,050	Pharr-San Juan-Alamo ISD	P O Box Y	Pharr	TX	78577	32	956-702-5600
297	21,032	Kansas City	625 Minnesota	Kansas City	KS	66101	45	913-551-3200
298	20,977	Virgin Islands School District	44-46 Kongens Gade	Saint Thomas	VI	00802	36	340-774-0100
299	20,927	Anaheim Elementary	1001 S East St	Anaheim	CA	92805	22	714-517-8500
300	20,861	Birdville ISD	6125 East Belknap St	Haltom City	TX	76117	34	817-831-5700
301	20,851	Colton Joint Unified	1212 Valencia Dr.	Colton	CA	92324	25	909-876-4227
302	20,825	Houston County School District	1100 Main Street P.O. Drawer N	Perry	GA	31069	29	912-988-6200
303	20,821	Union County Public Schools	500 N Main St Ste 700	Monroe	NC	28112	33	704-283-3733
304	20,787	Parkway C-2	455 N Woods Mill Rd	Chesterfield	MO	63017	28	314-415-8100
305	20,748	Beaumont ISD	3395 Harrison Ave	Beaumont	TX	77706	34	409-899-9972
306	20,716	Newport-Mesa Unified	P.O. Box 1368	Newport Beach	CA	92663	28	714-760-3200
307	20,696	Rockwood R-Vi	111 E North St	Eureka	MO	63025	27	314-938-2200
308	20,610	Terrebonne Parish School Board	Po Box 5097	Houma	LA	70361	44	504-876-7400
309	20,563	Edinburg CISD	P O Box 990	Edinburg	TX	78540	29	956-316-7200
310	20,439	Downey Unified	P.O. Box 7017	Downey	CA	90241	22	310-904-3500
311	20,352	Christina School District	83 East Main Street	Newark	DE	19711	29	302-454-2000
312	20,300	Henry County School District	396 Tomlinson Street	Mcdonough	GA	30253	23	770-957-6601
313	20,271	Vallejo City Unified	211 Valle Vista	Vallejo	CA	94590	26	707-644-8921
314	20,159	Board Of Ed, Washington County	Po Box 730	Hagerstown	MD	21741	46	301-791-4000
315	20,123	Simi Valley Unified	875 E. Cochran	Simi Valley	CA	93065	28	805-520-6500
316	20,097	Northshore	18315 Bothell Way Ne	Bothell	WA	98011	33	425-489-6353
317	20,017	Pitt County Schools	1717 W 5Th St	Greenville	NC	27834	31	252-830-4200
318	19,999	Nebo School District	350 S Main	Spanish Fork	UT	84660	30	801-798-4000
319	19,983	Gary Community School Corp	620 E 10Th Pl	Gary	IN	46402	39	219-881-5401
320	19,865	Rowan-Salisbury Schools	Po Box 2349	Salisbury	NC	28145	29	704-638-7500
321	19,852	Conejo Valley Unified	1400 E Janss Rd	Thousand Oaks	CA	91362	28	805-497-9511
322	19,822	San Ramon Valley Unified	699 Old Orchard Dr.	Danville	CA	94526	27	510-552-5500
323	19,800	Evergreen (Clark)	13501 Ne 28Th St	Vancouver	WA	98668	30	360-604-4005
324	19,781	Alamance-Burlington Schools	Po Box 938	Burlington	NC	27216	31	336-570-6060
325	19,644	Indian Prairie C U Sch Dist 20	Po Box 3990	Naperville	IL	60567	25	630-375-3000
326	19,591	Puyallup	302 2Nd St Se	Puyallup	WA	98371	31	253-841-8769
327	19,562	Kenosha Sch Dist	Po Box 340	Kenosha	WI	53141	37	414-653-6320
328	19,537	Green Bay Area Sch Dist	Po Box 23387	Green Bay	WI	54305	35	920-448-2101
329	19,526	Kyrene Elementary District	8700 S Kyrene Rd	Tempe	AZ	85284	23	602-496-4600
330	19,461	Olathe	Po Box 2000	Olathe	KS	66063	35	913-780-7000
331	19,437	Pulaski Co. Spec. School Dist.	P.O. Box 8601	Little Rock	AR	72216	37	501-490-2000
332	19,402	Palmdale Elementary	39139 10Th St. East	Palmdale	CA	93550	22	805-947-7191
333	19,400	Pajaro Valley Joint Unified	P.O. Box 50010	Watsonville	CA	95077	25	408-728-8230
334	19,370	Putnam City	5401 Nw 40Th St	Warr Acres	OK	73122	27	405-495-5200
335	19,364	Hurst-Euless-Bedford ISD	1849 Central Drive	Bedford	TX	76022	30	817-283-4461
336	19,358	Palm Springs Unified	333 S. Farrell Dr.	Palm Springs	CA	92262	22	619-327-1581
337	19,336	New Haven School District	54 Meadow Street	New Haven	CT	06519	49	203-946-8888
338	19,314	Johnston County Schools	Po Box 1336	Smithfield	NC	27577	28	919-934-6031
339	19,300	Abilene ISD	P O Box 981	Abilene	TX	79604	40	915-677-1444
340	19,294	Cajon Valley Union Elementary	P.O. Box 1007	El Cajon	CA	92022	26	619-588-3000
341	19,245	Wayne County Public Schools	Po Box 1797	Goldsboro	NC	27533	28	919-731-5900
342	19,214	South-Western City SD	2975 Kingston Ave	Grove City	OH	43123	28	614-875-2318
343	19,211	Shelby County Sch Dist	P O Box 429	Columbiana	AL	35051	30	205-669-5600
344	19,184	Livingston Parish School Board	Po Box 1130	Livingston	LA	70754	36	225-686-7044
345	19,183	Grand Prairie ISD	Box 531170	Grand Prairie	TX	75053	31	972-264-6141
346	19,166	Chandler Unified District	1525 W Frye Rd	Chandler	AZ	85224	23	602-786-7000
347	19,146	Mesa County Valley 51	2115 Grand Avenue	Grand Junction	CO	81501	39	970-245-2422
348	19,067	Millard Public Schools	5606 S 147Th St	Omaha	NE	68137	29	402-895-8200
349	19,009	Stafford Cnty Public Schls	1729 Jefferson Davis Hwy	Stafford	VA	22554	20	540-659-3141
350	18,953	Rowland Unified	P.O. Box 8490	Rowland Heights	CA	91748	22	818-965-2541

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351	18,811	Fayette County School District	210 Stonewall Avenue West	Fayetteville	GA	30214	23	770-460-3535
352	18,795	Hall County School District	711 Green St. Suite 100	Gainesville	GA	30501	26	404-534-1080
353	18,781	Redlands Unified	P.O. Box 3008	Redlands	CA	92373	20	909-307-5300
354	18,771	Highline	15675 Ambaum Bldv Sw	Burien	WA	98166	34	206-433-2217
355	18,728	Tangipahoa Parish School Board	Po Box 457	Amite	LA	70422	37	504-748-7153
356	18,708	Elizabeth City	Mitchell Building	Elizabeth	NJ	07207	27	908-558-3020
357	18,674	Bossier Parish School Board	Po Box 2000	Benton	LA	71006	32	318-965-2281
358	18,645	Francis Howell R-III	4545 Central School Rd	St Charles	MO	63304	21	314-441-0088
359	18,636	Eugene Sch Dist 04J	200 N Monroe S	Eugene	OR	97402	47	541-687-3123
360	18,619	Davidson County Schools	Po Box 2057	Lexington	NC	27293	26	336-249-8182
361	18,617	Columbia County School Dist	6430 Pollards Pond Road	Appling	GA	30802	23	706-541-0650
362	18,615	Chaffey Joint Union High	211 W. Fifth St.	Ontario	CA	91762	9	909-988-8511
363	18,587	Hazelwood	15955 New Halls Ferry Rd	Florissant	MO	63031	25	314-953-5000
364	18,536	Camden City	201 North Front Street	Camden	NJ	08102	32	856-966-2040
365	18,528	Modesto City Elementary	426 Locust St.	Modesto	CA	95351	27	209-576-4011
366	18,522	Antioch Unified	P.O. Box 768	Antioch	CA	94509	20	510-706-4100
367	18,513	Washington School District	189 W Tabernacle	St George	UT	84770	31	435-673-3553
368	18,473	Naperville C U Dist 203	203 W Hillside	Naperville	IL	60540	21	630-420-6300
369	18,465	Sioux Falls 49-5	201 E 38Th St	Sioux Falls	SD	57105	32	605-367-7920
370	18,442	Lansing Public School District	519 W. Kalamazoo Street	Lansing	MI	48933	44	517-325-6007
371	18,423	Everett	4730 Colby Ave	Everett	WA	98203	31	425-339-4205
372	18,397	St Vrain Valley Re 1J	395 South Pratt Parkway	Longmont	CO	80501	32	303-776-6200
373	18,393	Jurupa Unified	3924 Riverview Dr.	Riverside	CA	92509	24	909-222-7758
374	18,348	Livonia Public Schools	15125 Farmington Road	Livonia	MI	48154	36	734-523-8800
375	18,341	St. Johns County School Dist	40 Orange St	St. Augustine	FL	32084	26	904-826-2101
376	18,255	Escondido Union Elementary	1330 E. Grand Ave.	Escondido	CA	92027	19	619-432-2432
377	18,227	Williamson County School Dist	1320 West Main Suite 202	Franklin	TN	37064	26	615-790-5850
378	18,205	Moore	1500 Se 4Th St	Moore	OK	73160	27	405-793-3188
379	18,180	Desoto Co School Dist	Five East South Street	Hernando	MS	38632	22	601-429-5271
380	18,167	Galena Park ISD	P O Box 565	Galena Park	TX	77547	21	713-672-7491
381	18,152	Goose Creek ISD	P O Box 30	Baytown	TX	77522	25	281-420-4800
382	18,140	Lawton	Po Box 1009	Lawton	OK	73502	41	580-357-6900
383	18,121	Arlington Cnty Public Schls	1426 N Quincy St	Arlington	VA	22207	30	703-228-6010
384	18,059	Nash-Rocky Mount Schools	930 Eastern Ave	Nashville	NC	27856	28	252-459-5220
385	17,961	Cedar Rapids Comm School Distr	346 2Nd Ave Sw	Cedar Rapids	IA	52404	33	319-398-2000
386	17,844	Cabarrus County Schools	Po Box 388	Concord	NC	28026	22	704-786-6191
387	17,789	Pueblo City 60	315 West 11Th Street	Pueblo	CO	81003	35	719-549-7100
388	17,746	Cartwright Elementary District	3401 N 67Th Ave	Phoenix	AZ	85033	21	602-691-4000
389	17,508	Portsmouth City Public Schls	Po Box 998	Portsmouth	VA	23705	29	757-393-8742
390	17,472	Ouachita Parish School Board	Po Box 1642	Monroe	LA	71210	31	318-388-2711
391	17,393	Toms River Regional	1144 Hooper Avenue	Toms River	NJ	08753	16	732-505-5510
392	17,310	Dougherty School District	200 Pine Avenue	Albany	GA	31702	25	912-431-1286
393	17,287	Ventura Unified	120 E. Santa Clara St.	Ventura	CA	93001	27	805-641-5000
394	17,270	Spotsylvania Cnty Public Schls	6717 Smith Station Rd	Spotsylvania	VA	22553	25	540-898-6032
395	17,202	Davenport Comm School District	1606 Brady St	Davenport	IA	52803	36	319-336-5000
396	17,190	North Kansas City 74	2000 Ne 46Th St	Kansas City	MO	64116	29	816-453-5050
397	17,147	Alvord Unified	10365 Keller Ave	Riverside	CA	92505	17	909-351-9367
398	17,116	Hillsboro Sch Dist 01J	215 Se 6Th Ave	Hillsboro	OR	97123	28	503-648-1126
399	17,103	Antelope Valley Union High	44811 North Sierra Hwy	Lancaster	CA	93534	8	805-948-7655
400	17,057	Inglewood Unified	401 S. Inglewood Ave.	Inglewood	CA	90301	18	310-419-2500
401	16,951	Baldwin Park Unified	3699 N. Holly Ave.	Baldwin Park	CA	91706	22	818-926-3311
402	16,932	Manchester Sch Dist	196 Bridge St	Manchester	NH	03104	23	603-624-6300
403	16,867	Vigo County School Corp	Po Box 3703	Terre Haute	IN	47803	31	812-462-4216
404	16,860	Lynwood Unified	11321 Bullis Rd.	Lynwood	CA	90262	13	310-886-1600
405	16,770	Douglas County School District	9030 Highway 5	Douglasville	GA	30133	23	770-920-4000
406	16,730	San Angelo ISD	1621 University Ave	San Angelo	TX	76904	28	915-947-3700
407	16,700	Paramount Unified	15110 California Ave.	Paramount	CA	90723	16	562-602-6000
408	16,675	Brockton School District	43 Crescent St	Brockton	MA	02301	25	508-580-7511
409	16,667	Edmond	1001 W Danforth Rd	Edmond	OK	73003	21	405-340-2800
410	16,666	Manteca Unified	P.O. Box 32	Manteca	CA	95336	21	209-825-3200
411	16,563	Dorchester School District 02	102 Greenwave Blvd	Summerville	SC	29483	15	843-873-2901
412	16,557	Charlotte County Sch Dist	1445 Piatti Drive	Port Charlotte	FL	33948	25	941-255-0808
413	16,453	Tyler ISD	P O Box 2035	Tyler	TX	75710	30	903-531-3500
414	16,431	Madera Unified	1902 Howard Road	Madera	CA	93637	20	209-675-4500
415	16,429	Lowell School District	155 Merrimack St	Lowell	MA	01852	29	978-937-7647
416	16,428	Amphitheater Unified District	701 W Wetmore	Tucson	AZ	85705	19	520-696-5000
417	16,421	Hernando County Sch Dist	919 N. Broad Street	Brooksville	FL	34601	21	352-797-7001
418	16,399	Littleton 6	5776 South Crocker Street	Littleton	CO	80120	25	303-347-3300
419	16,340	Randolph County Schools	2222 S Fayetteville St Ste C	Asheboro	NC	27203	24	336-318-6100
420	16,335	Hemet Unified	2350 W. Latham Ave.	Hemet	CA	92545	19	909-765-5100

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421	16,317	Napa Valley Unified	2425 Jefferson St.	Napa	CA	94558	31	707-253-3511
422	16,276	Ann Arbor Public Schools	P.O. Box 1188	Ann Arbor	MI	48104	34	734-994-2230
423	16,263	Dearborn City School District	18700 Audette Street	Dearborn	MI	48124	29	313-730-0224
424	16,244	Alum Rock Union Elementary	2930 Gay Ave.	San Jose	CA	95127	25	408-258-4923
425	16,226	Fairbanks North Star Boro S/D	520 Fifth Avenue	Fairbanks	AK	99701	32	907-452-2000
426	16,202	Plymouth-Canton Community Schs	454 S. Harvey Street	Plymouth	MI	48170	22	734-416-3045
427	16,167	Richland School District 02	6831 Brookfield Rd	Columbia	SC	29206	19	803-787-1910
428	16,100	Iredell-Statesville Schools	Po Box 911	Statesville	NC	28687	30	704-872-8931
429	16,066	Schaumburg C C School Dist 54	524 E Schaumburg Rd	Schaumburg	IL	60194	26	847-885-6700
430	16,027	Blue Valley	Box 23901	Overland Park	KS	66223	26	913-681-4000
431	16,018	Peoria School District 150	3202 N Wisconsin Ave	Peoria	IL	61603	44	309-672-6768
432	16,009	Harlingen Cons ISD	1409 East Harrison St	Harlingen	TX	78550	23	956-427-3400
433	15,986	Allentown City SD	Po Box 328	Allentown	PA	18105	23	610-821-2600
434	15,981	Saint Landry Parish School Bd	Po Box 310	Opelousas	LA	70571	37	318-948-3657
435	15,973	Columbia 93	1818 W Worley St	Columbia	MO	65203	31	573-886-2100
436	15,939	Temecula Valley Unified	31350 Rancho Vista Road	Temecula	CA	92592	17	909-676-2661
437	15,938	Martin County Sch Dist	500 East Ocean Blvd	Stuart	FL	34994	25	561-287-6400
438	15,927	Red Clay Consolidated Sch Dist	1400 N Washington Street	Wilmington	DE	19801	27	302-651-2600
439	15,915	Lexington School District 01	P O Box 1869	Lexington	SC	29072	16	803-359-4178
440	15,848	Judson ISD	8012 Shin Oak	San Antonio	TX	78233	21	210-659-9600
441	15,845	Rochester	615 S.W. 7Th St.	Rochester	MN	55902	33	507-285-8551
442	15,837	Central Bucks SD	16 Weldon Dr	Doylestown	PA	18901	18	215-345-1400
443	15,831	Hanover Cnty Public Schls	200 Berkley St	Ashland	VA	23005	18	804-365-4502
444	15,821	Academy 20	7610 North Union Boulevard	Colorado Springs	CO	80920	25	719-598-2566
445	15,792	Coweta County School District	237 Jackson Street	Newnan	GA	30264	22	404-254-2801
446	15,790	Comm Unit Sch Dist 300	300 Cleveland Ave	Carpentersville	IL	60110	21	847-426-1300
447	15,778	Pickens County School District	1348 Griffin Mill Road	Easley	SC	29640	25	864-855-8150
448	15,768	Tuscaloosa County Sch Dist	P O Drawer 2568	Tuscaloosa	AL	35403	27	205-758-0411
449	15,764	Lake Elsinore Unified	545 Chaney St.	Lake Elsinore	CA	92530	19	909-674-7731
450	15,749	La Joya ISD	P O Box J	La Joya	TX	78560	18	956-580-5441
451	15,741	Lafourche Parish School Board	Po Box 879	Thibodaux	LA	70302	28	504-446-5631
452	15,712	Tustin Unified	300 South C St.	Tustin	CA	92780	22	714-730-7301
453	15,602	Harnett County Schools	Po Box 1029	Lillington	NC	27546	23	910-893-8151
454	15,581	Bethel	516 176Th St E	Spanaway	WA	98387	25	253-539-6000
455	15,574	Waco ISD	P O Box 27	Waco	TX	76703	31	254-755-9420
456	15,550	Board Of Ed Of Cecil County	201 Booth St	Elkton	MD	21921	30	410-996-5400
457	15,531	Beaufort County School Dist	P O Box 309	Beaufort	SC	29902	19	843-525-4200
458	15,438	Bellevue	12111 Ne 1St St	Bellevue	WA	98009	34	425-456-4172
459	15,402	Mwc/Del City	Po Box 10630	Midwest City	OK	73140	26	405-737-4461
460	15,399	Catawba County Schools	Po Box 1000	Newton	NC	28658	23	828-464-8333
461	15,386	Oxnard Elementary	1051 South A St.	Oxnard	CA	93030	19	805-487-3918
462	15,372	Doe-Terr Of American Samoa	Po Box Doe	Pago Pago	AS	96799	31	684-633-5237
463	15,359	Springfield School District 18	1900 W Monroe St	Springfield	IL	62704	36	217-525-3002
464	15,348	Waterbury School District	236 Grand Street	Waterbury	CT	06702	29	203-574-8004
465	15,293	Wichita Falls ISD	P O Box 2570	Wichita Falls	TX	76307	31	940-720-3303
466	15,265	Ft. Zumwalt R-II	110 Virgil St	O'Fallon	MO	63366	18	314-272-6620
467	15,241	Calvert County Public Schools	Dares Beach Road	Prince Frederick	MD	20678	23	410-535-1700
468	15,232	Reading SD	800 Washington St	Reading	PA	19601	19	610-371-5611
469	15,228	Cupertino Union Elementary	10301 Vista Dr.	Cupertino	CA	95014	24	408-252-3000
470	15,204	Hesperia Unified	9144 Third St.	Hesperia	CA	92345	18	619-244-9323
471	15,072	Iberia Parish School Board	Po Box 200	New Iberia	LA	70562	33	318-365-2341
472	15,068	William S. Hart Union High	21515 Redview Dr.	Santa Clarita	CA	91350	10	805-259-0033
473	15,059	Victoria ISD	P O Box 1759	Victoria	TX	77902	25	361-576-3131
474	15,003	Rankin Co School Dist	P O Box 1359	Brandon	MS	39043	23	601-825-5590
475	14,977	Madison County Sch Dist	P O Box 226	Huntsville	AL	35804	23	256-852-2557
476	14,965	Apple Valley Unified	22974 Bear Valley Road	Apple Valley	CA	92308	15	619-247-8001
477	14,931	Lynn School District	14 Central Ave	Lynn	MA	01901	31	781-593-1680
478	14,928	Wayne-Westland Community S/D	36745 Marquette Street	Westland	MI	48185	26	734-595-2000
479	14,905	Harlandale ISD	102 Genevieve St	San Antonio	TX	78214	26	210-921-4300
480	14,887	Burbank Unified	330 N. Buena Vista St.	Burbank	CA	91505	19	818-558-4600
481	14,846	Vacaville Unified	751 School St.	Vacaville	CA	95688	19	707-453-6100
482	14,832	M S D Lawrence Township	7601 E 56Th St	Indianapolis	IN	46226	19	317-546-4921
483	14,826	Broken Arrow	501 S Main St	Broken Arrow	OK	74012	23	918-259-4300
484	14,824	Craven County Schools	3600 Trent Rd	New Bern	NC	28562	22	252-514-6300
485	14,823	Folsom-Cordova Unified	125 East Bidwell St.	Folsom	CA	95630	26	916-355-1100
486	14,753	Keller ISD	304 Lorine St	Keller	TX	76248	17	817-337-3200
487	14,743	Saint Marys County Public Schs	Po Box 641	Leonardtown	MD	20650	27	301-475-4250
488	14,731	Rockingham County Schools	511 Harrington Hwy	Eden	NC	27288	25	336-627-2600
489	14,722	Lamar Consolidated ISD	3911 Avenue I	Rosenberg	TX	77471	28	281-341-3100
490	14,708	La Mesa-Spring Valley	4750 Date Ave.	La Mesa	CA	91941	22	619-463-5700

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Rank	Students	Agency name	Mailing address	City	ST	ZIP	Schools	Telephone
491	14,705	Ascension Parish School Board	Po Box 189	Donaldsonville	LA	70346	20	225-473-7981
492	14,683	New Bedford School District	455 County	New Bedford	MA	02740	28	508-997-4511
493	14,654	Santa Clara Unified	Po Box 397	Santa Clara	CA	95052	23	408-983-2000
494	14,640	Sunnyside Unified District	P O Box 11280	Tucson	AZ	85734	22*	520-741-2500
495	14,627	Citrus County Sch Dist	1007 West Main Street	Inverness	FL	34450	21	352-726-1931
496	14,617	Indian River County School Dis	1990 25Th Street	Vero Beach	FL	32960	25	561-564-3150
497	14,584	Greeley 6	811 15Th Street	Greeley	CO	80631	29	970-352-1543
498	14,551	Sachem Csd	245 Union Ave	Holbrook	NY	11741	15	516-471-1336
499	14,536	Appleton Area Sch Dist	Po Box 2019	Appleton	WI	54913	25	920-832-6126
500	14,524	Walnut Valley Unified	880 S. Lemon Ave.	Walnut	CA	91789	16	909-595-1261

* Includes outlying areas, Bureau of Indian Affairs, and Department of Defense (overseas) schools.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Common Core of Data, Public Elementary/Secondary School Universe Survey, 1998-1999, and Local Education Agency Universe Survey, 1998-1999.

Appendix B. Alphabetical list and rank (by size) of the 500 largest public school districts in the United States*: School year 1998-1999

School district	State	Rank	School district	State	Rank
ABC Unified	CA	276	Cedar Rapids Comm School Distr	IA	385
Abilene ISD	TX	339	Central Bucks SD	PA	442
Academy 20	CO	444	Chaffey Joint Union High	CA	362
Adams-Arapahoe 28J	CO	195	Chandler Unified District	AZ	346
Aiken County School District	SC	245	Charleston County School Dist	SC	103
Akron City SD	OH	161	Charlotte County Sch Dist	FL	412
Alachua County Sch Dist	FL	190	Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools	NC	28
Alamance-Burlington Schools	NC	324	Chatham County School District	GA	129
Albuquerque Public Schools	NM	34	Cherokee County School Dist	GA	248
Aldine ISD	TX	82	Cherry Creek 5	CO	118
Alief ISD	TX	114	Chesapeake City Public Schls	VA	130
Allentown City SD	PA	433	Chesterfield Cnty Public Schls	VA	79
Alpine School District	UT	99	Chino Valley Unified	CA	177
Alum Rock Union Elementary	CA	424	Christina School District	DE	311
Alvord Unified	CA	397	Chula Vista Elementary	CA	292
Amarillo ISD	TX	193	Cincinnati City SD	OH	80
Amphitheater Unified District	AZ	416	Citrus County Sch Dist	FL	495
Anaheim Elementary	CA	299	City Of Chicago School Dist 29	IL	4
Anaheim Union High	CA	204	Clark County School District	NV	9
Anchorage School District	AK	81	Clay County Sch Dist	FL	210
Ann Arbor Public Schools	MI	422	Clayton County School District	GA	102
Anne Arundel County Pub Schls	MD	42	Clear Creek ISD	TX	200
Anoka-Hennepin	MN	115	Cleveland City SD	OH	41
Antelope Valley Union High	CA	399	Clovis Unified	CA	171
Antioch Unified	CA	366	Cobb County School District	GA	31
Apple Valley Unified	CA	476	Collier County Sch Dist	FL	180
Appleton Area Sch Dist	WI	499	Colorado Springs 11	CO	157
Arlington Cnty Public Schls	VA	383	Colton Joint Unified	CA	301
Arlington ISD	TX	68	Columbia 93	MO	435
Ascension Parish School Board	LA	491	Columbia County School Dist	GA	361
Atlanta City School District	GA	59	Columbus City SD	OH	52
Austin ISD	TX	36	Comm Unit Sch Dist 300	IL	446
Bakersfield City Elementary	CA	212	Compton Unified	CA	192
Baldwin County Sch Dist	AL	277	Conejo Valley Unified	CA	321
Baldwin Park Unified	CA	401	Conroe ISD	TX	162
Baltimore City Pub Sch System	MD	23	Corona-Norco Unified	CA	150
Baltimore County Public Schls	MD	24	Corpus Christi ISD	TX	116
Bay County Sch Dist	FL	227	Coweta County School District	GA	445
Beaufort County School Dist	SC	457	Craven County Schools	NC	484
Beaumont ISD	TX	305	Cumberland County Schools	NC	76
Beaverton Sch Dist 48J	OR	168	Cupertino Union Elementary	CA	469
Bellevue	WA	458	Cypress-Fairbanks ISD	TX	64
Berkeley County School Dist	SC	221	Dade County School District	FL	5
Bethel	WA	454	Dallas ISD	TX	12
Bibb County School District	GA	242	Davenport Comm School District	IA	395
Birdville ISD	TX	300	Davidson County Schools	NC	360
Birmingham City Sch Dist	AL	122	Davis School District	UT	61
Blue Valley	KS	430	Dayton City SD	OH	219
Board Of Ed Of Cecil County	MD	456	Dearborn City School District	MI	423
Board Of Ed, Washington County	MD	314	Deer Valley Unified District	AZ	247
Board Of Educ, Charles County	MD	274	Dekalb County School District	GA	29
Boise City Ind School Dist 1	ID	216	Denver County 1	CO	47
Bossier Parish School Board	LA	357	Des Moines Independent Comm Sc	IA	173
Boston School District	MA	53	Desert Sands Unified	CA	279
Boulder Valley Re 2	CO	214	Desoto Co School Dist	MS	379
Brevard County School District	FL	48	Detroit City School District	MI	11
Bridgeport School District	CT	275	District Of Columbia Pub Schls	DC	45
Brockton School District	MA	408	Doe-Terr Of American Samoa	AS	462
Broken Arrow	OK	483	Dorchester School District 02	SC	411
Broward County School District	FL	6	Dougherty School District	GA	392
Brownsville ISD	TX	117	Douglas County Re 1	CO	189
Buffalo City SD	NY	92	Douglas County School District	GA	405
Buncombe County Schools	NC	239	Downey Unified	CA	310
Burbank Unified	CA	480	Durham Public Schools	NC	194
Cabarrus County Schools	NC	386	Duval County School District	FL	20
Caddo Parish School Board	LA	93	East Baton Rouge Parish Sch Bd	LA	66
Cajon Valley Union Elementary	CA	340	East Side Union High	CA	250
Calcasieu Parish School Board	LA	152	Ector County ISD	TX	199
Calvert County Public Schools	MD	467	Edinburg CISD	TX	309
Camden City	NJ	364	Edmond	OK	409
Capistrano Unified	CA	109	Edmonds	WA	283
Carroll County Public Schools	MD	211	El Paso ISD	TX	54
Carrollton-Farmers Branch ISD	TX	272	Elizabeth City	NJ	356
Cartwright Elementary District	AZ	388	Elk Grove Unified	CA	107
Catawba County Schools	NC	460	Escambia County School Dist	FL	97

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School district	State	Rank	School district	State	Rank
Escondido Union Elementary	CA	376	Iredell-Statesville Schools	NC	428
Eugene Sch Dist 04J	OR	359	Irvine Unified	CA	266
Evansville-Vanderburgh Sch Cor	IN	262	Irving ISD	TX	207
Everett	WA	371	Jackson Public School Dist	MS	164
Evergreen (Clark)	WA	323	Jefferson (CO) County R-1	CO	33
Fairbanks North Star Boro S/D	AK	425	Jefferson (KY) County	KY	25
Fairfax Cnty Public Schls	VA	14	Jefferson County Sch Dist	AL	111
Fairfield-Suisun Unified	CA	266	Jefferson Parish School Board	LA	72
Fayette Co	KY	151	Jersey City	NJ	159
Fayette County School District	GA	351	Johnston County Schools	NC	338
Federal Way	WA	282	Jordan School District	UT	44
Flint City School District	MI	236	Judson ISD	TX	440
Folsom-Cordova Unified	CA	485	Jurupa Unified	CA	373
Fontana Unified	CA	138	Kanawha County School District	WV	181
Forsyth County Schools	NC	106	Kansas City	KS	297
Fort Bend ISD	TX	78	Kansas City 33	MO	127
Fort Wayne Community Schools	IN	166	Katy ISD	TX	187
Fort Worth ISD	TX	38	Keller ISD	TX	486
Francis Howell R-III	MO	358	Kenosha Sch Dist	WI	327
Frederick County Board Of Ed	MD	135	Kent	WA	228
Fremont Unified	CA	179	Kern Union High	CA	206
Fresno Unified	CA	37	Killeen ISD	TX	197
Ft. Zumwalt R-II	MO	466	Klein ISD	TX	172
Fulton County School District	GA	50	Knox County School District	TN	74
Galena Park ISD	TX	380	Kyrene Elementary District	AZ	329
Garden Grove Unified	CA	94	La Joya ISD	TX	450
Garland ISD	TX	87	La Mesa-Spring Valley	CA	490
Gary Community School Corp	IN	319	Lafayette Parish School Board	LA	182
Gaston County Schools	NC	184	Lafourche Parish School Board	LA	451
Gilbert Unified District	AZ	240	Lake County Sch Dist	FL	202
Glendale Unified	CA	185	Lake Elsinore Unified	CA	449
Goose Creek ISD	TX	381	Lake Washington	WA	244
Grand Prairie ISD	TX	345	Lamar Consolidated ISD	TX	489
Grand Rapids Public Schools	MI	222	Lansing Public School District	MI	370
Granite School District	UT	43	Laredo ISD	TX	269
Greeley 6	CO	497	Las Cruces Public Schools	NM	273
Green Bay Area Sch Dist	WI	328	Lawton	OK	382
Greenville County School Dist	SC	65	Lee County School District	FL	69
Grossmont Union High	CA	263	Leon County Sch Dist	FL	169
Guam Dept Of Education	GU	163	Lewisville ISD	TX	137
Guilford County Schools	NC	57	Lexington School District 01	SC	439
Gwinnett County School Dist	GA	27	Lincoln Public Schools	NE	178
Hacienda La Puente Unified	CA	268	Little Rock School District	AR	246
Hall County School District	GA	352	Littleton 6	CO	418
Hamilton County School Distrct	TN	108	Livingston Parish School Board	LA	344
Hampton City Public Schls	VA	258	Livonia Public Schools	MI	374
Hanover Cnty Public Schls	VA	443	Lodi Unified	CA	224
Harford County Public Schools	MD	124	Long Beach Unified	CA	32
Harlandale ISD	TX	479	Los Angeles Unified	CA	2
Harlingen Cons ISD	TX	432	Loudoun Cnty Public Schls	VA	226
Harnett County Schools	NC	453	Lowell School District	MA	415
Hartford School District	CT	271	Lubbock ISD	TX	191
Hawaii Department Of Education	HI	10	Lynn School District	MA	477
Hayward Unified	CA	265	Lynwood Unified	CA	404
Hazelwood	MO	363	M S D Lawrence Township	IN	482
Hemet Unified	CA	420	Madera Unified	CA	414
Henrico Cnty Public Schls	VA	119	Madison County Sch Dist	AL	475
Henry County School District	GA	312	Madison Metropolitan Sch Dist	WI	237
Hernando County Sch Dist	FL	417	Manatee County Sch Dist	FL	141
Hesperia Unified	CA	470	Manchester Sch Dist	NH	402
Highline	WA	354	Manteca Unified	CA	410
Hillsboro Sch Dist 01J	OR	398	Marion County Sch Dist	FL	126
Hillsborough County Sch Dist	FL	13	Martin County Sch Dist	FL	437
Horry County School District	SC	215	Mcallen ISD	TX	294
Houston County School District	GA	302	Memphis City School District	TN	21
Houston ISD	TX	7	Meridian Jt School District 2	ID	284
Howard County Pub Schls System	MD	112	Mesa County Valley 51	CO	347
Humble ISD	TX	254	Mesa Unified School District	AZ	46
Huntsville City Sch Dist	AL	257	Mesquite ISD	TX	174
Hurst-Euless-Bedford ISD	TX	335	Midland ISD	TX	267
Iberia Parish School Board	LA	471	Millard Public Schools	NE	348
Indian Prairie C U Sch Dist 20	IL	325	Milwaukee Sch Dist	WI	26
Indian River County School Dis	FL	496	Minneapolis	MN	83
Indianapolis Public Schools	IN	110	Mobile County Sch Dist	AL	51
Inglewood Unified	CA	400	Modesto City Elementary	CA	365

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School district	State	Rank
Montebello Unified	CA	143
Montgomery County Public Schls	MD	19
Montgomery County Sch Dist	AL	144
Montgomery County Schools	TN	260
Moore	OK	378
Moreno Valley Unified	CA	167
Mt. Diablo Unified	CA	134
Muscogee County School Dist	GA	148
Mwc/Del City	OK	459
Napa Valley Unified	CA	421
Naperville C U Dist 203	IL	368
Nash-Rocky Mount Schools	NC	384
Nashville-Davidson County SD	TN	49
Nebo School District	UT	318
New Bedford School District	MA	492
New Hanover County Schools	NC	290
New Haven School District	CT	337
New York City Public Schools	NY	1
Newark City	NJ	104
Newport News City Public Schls	VA	149
Newport-Mesa Unified	CA	306
Norfolk City Public Schls	VA	128
North East ISD	TX	89
North Kansas City 74	MO	396
Northglenn-Thornton 12	CO	201
Northshore	WA	316
Northside ISD	TX	56
Norwalk-La Mirada Unified	CA	270
Oakland Unified	CA	71
Oceanside City Unified	CA	288
Okaloosa County Sch Dist	FL	183
Okla City	OK	123
Olathe	KS	330
Omaha Public Schools	NE	100
Onslow County Schools	NC	293
Ontario-Montclair Elementary	CA	234
Orange County School District	FL	16
Orange Unified	CA	188
Orleans Parish School Board	LA	35
Osceola County Sch Dist	FL	186
Osseo	MN	280
Ouachita Parish School Board	LA	390
Oxnard Elementary	CA	461
Pajaro Valley Joint Unified	CA	333
Palm Beach County School Dist	FL	15
Palm Springs Unified	CA	336
Palmdale Elementary	CA	332
Paradise Valley Unified Distr	AZ	136
Paramount Unified	CA	407
Parkway C-2	MO	304
Pasadena ISD	TX	113
Pasadena Unified	CA	261
Pasco County School District	FL	95
Paterson City	NJ	243
Peoria School District 150	IL	431
Peoria Unified District	AZ	175
Pharr-San Juan-Alamo ISD	TX	296
Philadelphia City SD	PA	8
Phoenix Union High Sch Dist	AZ	289
Pickens County School District	SC	447
Pinellas County School Dist	FL	22
Pitt County Schools	NC	317
Pittsburgh SD	PA	120
Placentia-Yorba Linda Unified	CA	231
Plano ISD	TX	101
Plymouth-Canton Community Schs	MI	426
Polk County School District	FL	40
Pomona Unified	CA	156
Portland Sch Dist 1J	OR	70
Portsmouth City Public Schls	VA	389
Poudre R-1	CO	264
Poway Unified	CA	165
Prince Georges County Pub Schs	MD	18
Prince William Cnty Public Sch	VA	77
Providence Sch Dist	RI	223
Pueblo City 60	CO	387
Puerto Rico Dept of Education	PR	3
Pulaski Co. Spec. School Dist.	AR	331
Putnam City	OK	334
Puyallup	WA	326
Racine Sch Dist	WI	287
Randolph County Schools	NC	419
Rankin Co School Dist	MS	474
Rapides Parish School Board	LA	253
Reading SD	PA	468
Red Clay Consolidated Sch Dist	DE	438
Redlands Unified	CA	353
Rialto Unified	CA	225
Richardson ISD	TX	139
Richland School District 01	SC	213
Richland School District 02	SC	427
Richmond City Public Schls	VA	208
Richmond County School Dist	GA	132
Riverside Unified	CA	131
Robeson County Schools	NC	252
Rochester	MN	441
Rochester City SD	NY	125
Rockford School Dist 205	IL	209
Rockingham County Schools	NC	488
Rockwood R-VI	MO	307
Rosemount-Apple Valley-Eagan	MN	205
Round Rock ISD	TX	198
Rowan-Salisbury Schools	NC	320
Rowland Unified	CA	350
Rutherford County School Dist	TN	241
Sachem Csd	NY	498
Sacramento City Unified	CA	75
Saddleback Valley Unified	CA	142
Saint Landry Parish School Bd	LA	434
Saint Marys County Public Schs	MD	487
Saint Tammany Parish School Bd	LA	158
Salem/Keizer Sch Dist 24J	OR	147
Salt Lake City School District	UT	230
San Angelo ISD	TX	406
San Antonio ISD	TX	62
San Bernardino City Unified	CA	84
San Diego City Unified	CA	17
San Francisco Unified	CA	58
San Jose Unified	CA	155
San Juan Unified	CA	88
San Ramon Valley Unified	CA	322
Santa Ana Unified	CA	67
Santa Clara Unified	CA	493
Santa Rosa County Sch Dist	FL	281
Sarasota County Sch Dist	FL	145
Schaumburg C C School Dist 54	IL	429
School District 46	IL	140
Scottsdale Unified District	AZ	217
Seattle	WA	85
Seminole County School Dist	FL	63
Shawnee Mission Public Schools	KS	170
Shelby County Sch Dist	AL	343
Shelby County School District	TN	86
Simi Valley Unified	CA	315
Sioux Falls 49-5	SD	369
Socorro ISD	TX	256
South Bend Community Sch Corp	IN	295
South-Western City SD	OH	342
Spokane	WA	160
Spotsylvania Cnty Public Schls	VA	394
Spring Branch ISD	TX	176
Spring ISD	TX	285
Springfield R-XII	MO	235
Springfield School District	MA	229
Springfield School District 18	IL	463
St Vrain Valley Re 1J	CO	372
St. Louis City	MO	96
St. Johns County School Dist	FL	375
St. Lucie County School Dist	FL	196
St. Paul	MN	98

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School district	State	Rank	School district	State	Rank
Stafford Cnty Public Schls	VA	349	Victoria ISD	TX	473
Stockton City Unified	CA	133	Vigo County School Corp	IN	403
Sumner County School District	TN	278	Virgin Islands School District	VI	298
Sunnyside Unified District	AZ	494	Virginia Beach City Public Sch	VA	39
Sweetwater Union High	CA	153	Visalia Unified	CA	249
Syracuse City SD	NY	255	Vista Unified	CA	220
Tacoma	WA	154	Volusia County School District	FL	60
Tangipahoa Parish School Board	LA	355	Waco ISD	TX	455
Temecula Valley Unified	CA	436	Wake County Schools	NC	30
Terrebonne Parish School Board	LA	308	Walnut Valley Unified	CA	500
Toledo City SD	OH	121	Washington Elementary District	AZ	238
Toms River Regional	NJ	391	Washington School District	UT	367
Torrance Unified	CA	259	Washoe County School District	NV	73
Tucson Unified District	AZ	55	Waterbury School District	CT	464
Tulsa	OK	105	Wayne County Public Schools	NC	341
Tuscaloosa County Sch Dist	AL	448	Wayne-Westland Community S/D	MI	478
Tustin Unified	CA	452	Weber School District	UT	203
Tyler ISD	TX	413	West Contra Costa Unified	CA	146
Union County Public Schools	NC	303	Wichita	KS	90
United ISD	TX	251	Wichita Falls ISD	TX	465
Utica Community Schools	MI	218	William S. Hart Union High	CA	472
Vacaville Unified	CA	481	Williamson County School Dist	TN	377
Vallejo City Unified	CA	313	Worcester School District	MA	232
Vancouver	WA	291	Yonkers City SD	NY	233
Ventura Unified	CA	393	Ysleta ISD	TX	91

* Includes outlying areas, Bureau of Indian Affairs, and Department of Defense (overseas) schools.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Common Core of Data, Local Education Agency Universe Survey, 1998-1999

Appendix C. Selected statistics for the 100 largest regular school districts in the United States*: School year 1988-89 (Continued)

Name of reporting district	City	State	County	Number of students	Number of teachers	Number of graduates for 1987-88	Number of schools
Davis County School District	Farmington	UT	Davis	51,994	2,165	3,022	70
Cincinnati City School District	Cincinnati	OH	Hamilton	51,606	2,982	2,595	86
Brevard County School District	Rockledge	FL	Brevard	51,583	3,054	3,320	70
Oakland Unified	Oakland	CA	Alameda	51,218	2,189	2,188	89
Greenville County School District	Greenville	SC	Greenville	51,150	2,947	2,856	92
Indianapolis Public Schools	Indianapolis	IN	Marion	50,214	2,990	2,535	90
Ysleta Independent School District	El Paso	TX	El Paso	50,209	—	2,722	48
Knox County School District	Knoxville	TN	Knox	50,116	2,515	3,976	92
Newark School District	Newark	NJ	Essex	49,823	3,373	2,138	82
Northside Independent School District	San Antonio	TX	Bexar	48,528	—	2,998	59
Wichita	Wichita	KS	Sedgwick	47,107	2,560	2,352	91
San Juan Unified	Carmichael	CA	Sacramento	46,715	2,079	3,303	85
Sacramento City Unified	Sacramento	CA	Sacramento	46,632	2,002	1,939	72
Buffalo City Schools	Buffalo	NY	Erie	46,228	3,048	2,577	75
St Louis City School District	St Louis	MO	St Louis City	46,128	3,393	1,547	128
Seminole County School District	Sanford	FL	Seminole	45,022	2,323	2,714	46
Cumberland County School District	Fayetteville	NC	Cumberland	44,116	2,495	2,804	69
Volusia County School District	Deland	FL	Volusia	43,922	2,434	2,109	63
Birmingham City School District	Birmingham	AL	Jefferson	43,203	2,155	2,281	92
Seattle School District	Seattle	WA	King	43,023	2,242	—	111
Charleston County School District	Charleston	SC	Charleston	43,019	2,489	1,925	70
Arlington Independent School District	Arlington	TX	Tarrant	42,153	—	2,484	50
Escambia County School Dist	Pensacola	FL	Escambia	42,114	2,472	2,529	71
Toledo City School District	Toledo	OH	Lucas	41,978	2,227	2,288	64
Chesterfield County Public Schools	Chesterfield	VA	Chesterfield	41,469	2,414	2,906	48
Corpus Christi Independent School District	Corpus Christi	TX	Nueces	41,419	—	1,943	61
Omaha Public Schools	Omaha	NE	Douglas	41,243	2,285	2,880	80
Jefferson County School District	Birmingham	AL	Jefferson	41,224	2,099	3,139	63
Tulsa City School District	Tulsa	OK	Tulsa	40,854	2,012	2,515	77
Prince William County Public Schools	Manassas	VA	Prince William	40,127	2,337	2,813	52
Santa Ana Unified	Santa Ana	CA	Orange	40,028	1,595	1,265	42
Minneapolis Special School District	Minneapolis	MN	Hennepin	40,024	1,997	2,252	55
Fulton County School District	Atlanta	GA	Fulton	40,020	2,447	2,539	68
Anchorage School District	Anchorage	AK	Anchorage	40,007	1,942	2,359	78
Pittsburgh School District	Pittsburgh	PA	Allegheny	39,809	2,380	2,783	82
North East Independent School District	San Antonio	TX	Bexar	39,558	—	2,727	40
Lee County School District	Fort Myers	FL	Lee	39,264	2,115	1,956	61
Oklahoma City School District	Okla. City	OK	Oklahoma	38,736	1,892	1,767	84
Forsyth Winston Salem School District	Winston Salem	NC	Forsyth	38,395	2,417	2,720	55
Aldine Independent School District	Houston	TX	Harris	37,983	—	1,478	35

— Not available

* Includes outlying areas

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Common Core of Data, Public Elementary/Secondary Agency Universe Survey, 1988–89.

Appendix D. Number of the 100 largest school districts in the United States, by state: School year 1998–1999

State	Number of districts in the 100 largest school districts	Percentage of the 100 Largest School District Students
Alabama	1	0.6
Alaska	1	0.5
Arizona	2	1.2
California	11	12.6
Colorado	2	1.5
District of Columbia	1	0.7
Florida	14	15.4
Georgia	5	3.8
Hawaii	1	1.7
Illinois	1	4.0
Kansas	1	0.4
Kentucky	1	0.9
Louisiana	4	2.2
Maryland	5	5.0
Massachusetts	1	0.6
Michigan	1	1.6
Minnesota	2	0.9
Missouri	1	0.4
Nebraska	1	0.4
Nevada	2	2.4
New Mexico	1	0.8
New York	2	10.3
North Carolina	4	2.8
Ohio	3	1.8
Oregon	1	0.5
Pennsylvania	1	1.9
Puerto Rico	1	5.5
South Carolina	1	0.5
Tennessee	4	2.6
Texas	14	9.8
Utah	4	2.3
Virginia	4	3.0
Washington	1	0.4
Wisconsin	1	0.9

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